

## THE CHIEF'S BOAT WAS STRUCK

Tender Conveying the President to the Cruiser West Virginia Was in Collision.

### FRUIT BOAT MISTOOK SIGNALS FROM TENDER

Little Serious Damage Was Done and No One Suffered Inconvenience Beyond Having to Transfer.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 27.—The tender West Virginia, with President Roosevelt on board, was spoken today by wireless telegraph, the ship at the time being 200 miles off shore. The message was received at the Pensacola navy yard and stated that the West Virginia would reach Key West Saturday night.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—After a narrow escape from losing his life in an early morning collision in which the lightship tender Magnolia on which he was traveling, was so much damaged that he had to abandon her, President Roosevelt is on board the armored cruiser West Virginia. Neither the president nor any member of his party was injured in the accident.

The first news of the accident reached New Orleans by telephone at an early hour this morning, coming in the shape of an appeal for help from Captain Ross, of the United Fruit company's steamer, Esparata, the vessel reported in collision with the Magnolia.

The Magnolia left here at 6:30 last night and the Esparata was due to arrive today at Chalmette. The weather was fine, with comparatively little wind on the river. In his report Captain Ross gave no details of the accident, but said that the Magnolia was ashore.

Immediately upon the receipt of the news communication was opened with the tug owners here and the powerful tugs R. Wilcox and R. D. Wood left New Orleans shortly after with orders to go to full speed to the scene of the accident. Meanwhile, however, the president's party had managed to get in communication with the lower part of the river, where it was known that the lightship tender Ivy was lying.

At 1 o'clock the operator at Pilot Town was run up by Major-General Hill the government engineer, with word that the Ivy should be sent to Sixty Mile point with all possible speed. The Ivy got under way and covered the forty miles in rapid time. President Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb and Surgeon General Hix, with their baggage, were at once transferred and the Ivy proceeded down the river. When the Ivy passed Pilot Town on her way down, she signalled that the president and party were all well.

At 9 o'clock the Ivy reached Fort Jads. President Roosevelt and his party were on deck. The tender did not stop, but immediately passed out into the Gulf. The West Virginia was in plain sight. The tender quickly covered the distance separating the two vessels and as the Ivy appeared a presidential salute sounded from the warship. The transfer, after the Ivy reached the big ship's side, was a matter of but a few moments, the weather being fine and clear, with little sea running.

At 9:40 the president stepped on board the West Virginia safe and sound after his exciting experience here and on his trip down the river. The West Virginia had already lifted her anchor and before 10 o'clock she started on her journey up the coast. The lightship officers here received the following dispatch from Commander James H. Sears, U. S. N., dated Naim, La.:

"The lightship tender Magnolia was struck on the port side at 11 p. m., October 26th by the steamship Esparata, near Sixty Mile point. No one was injured and party were transferred to the lightship tender, Ivy, which was accompanying the Magnolia and proceeded to the West Virginia on time. The master, officers and pilot were on duty on board the Magnolia at the time of the collision. It is believed the Magnolia can make the necessary repairs to return to New Orleans under her own steam."

The lightship tender Ivy returned from the sea after putting President Roosevelt on board and stopped at Pilot Town. These on board reported that the West Virginia had sailed at 10:05. They said that the president was in excellent spirits and unshaken by the accident. At the time of the accident the president, worth out by his strenuous experience in New Orleans, was fast asleep.

The two ships were near the west shore when they came in contact. The power of the Esparata struck the Magnolia on the port bow. It was not known to what extent the Magnolia might have been injured and there was great haste in pushing her ashore. Both vessels grounded, but the Esparata got off under her own steam and was found not to have suffered any damage.

The president showed no excitement when informed of the extent of the disaster. He dressed immediately, and those of his party hurriedly made arrangements for his transfer to the Ivy. The captain of the Esparata refused to make any statement to the public, as his vessel is under the British flag and he must submit his report to the

British authorities. The United States Fruit Company, by which the vessel is chartered, tonight issued a statement blaming the Magnolia for changing her course after indicating by whistles the manner of passing the Esparata.

### NEW YORK SUBWAY OPERATED ONE YEAR PROVES BIG SUCCESS

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—One year ago yesterday the subway was opened to the public. One hundred and six million passengers have since paid a nickel apiece to ride on it. It has realized the wishes of those who for years have waited for a railroad that would send them "to Harlem in fifteen minutes." During its first quarter it achieved the record of earning a surplus and at the end of its second quarter it had accumulated a surplus of \$1,500,000 over fixed charges and payments into the sinking fund.

### MAMMOTH ORDER FOR FREIGHT CARS FOR NEW YORK CENTRAL

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The New York Central railroad placed orders yesterday with several manufacturing companies for a total of 25,000 freight cars, the largest order ever placed by a railroad in this country. The order exceeds that placed last week by the Pennsylvania railroad for 21,000 cars which until yesterday was the largest order for equipment ever placed by a railroad in this country. The orders placed yesterday were for delivery all through the year 1906. These orders, it is said, do not represent the total of the Central's requirements. In all probability more cars will be ordered.

Miss Roosevelt Is Home.  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president, arrived in Washington at 4:40 o'clock this afternoon, thus completing her long journey from the Orient.

## W. C. T. U. IN CONVENTION

Largest Attendance in History of Union.

National President Opposes Canteen and Gothenberg Plan and Wants Suffrage.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 27.—The first day's sessions of the thirty-second annual convention of the national Women's Christian Temperance Union, which opened at the First Congregational church of Los Angeles today, were devoted to routine matters. Devotional exercises, the appointment of the usual committees and the hearing of various reports by the executive officials of the organization, occupied almost the entire time of the morning and afternoon sessions. The feature of the first session was the annual address of the president, Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, of Maine.

Mrs. Stevens' address reviewed the work of the W. C. T. U. during the past year, commented upon the various legislative measures the organization is urging, both in state legislatures and the national congress, and spoke very encouragingly of the future growth of the temperance movement.

The large auditorium of the First Congregational church, which had been elaborately decorated for the occasion, was filled to overflowing with delegates and other interested in their work when Mrs. Stevens called the convention to order. It was said there was a larger attendance of delegates than at any previous meeting of the society and certainly there was much enthusiasm.

Mrs. Stevens in her annual address, touched upon all the questions with which the temperance organization concerns itself, including the army canteen, Mormonism, and the Purty crusade, patent medicines and the Gothenberg system of regulating the liquor traffic. Her remarks on the Gothenberg system were particularly apropos inasmuch as there is a strong movement headed by a number of wealthy business men of this city to bring about the adoption of the Gothenberg system of controlling the liquor traffic of Los Angeles. Mrs. Stevens declared the W. C. T. U. was unqualifiedly opposed to the system, which she considered would be a compromise with the liquor interests.

On the subject of reform bills introduced in the last congress, and not acted upon, she said: "At mention of this arises before you visions of petitions, many have circulated, memories of weary miles have been traveled, verbiage have endured arguments you have presented, delays and postponements; but no memories of defeat, for you have wrought with a triumphant spirit and that same spirit is ours today as we look forward to the coming months."

Mrs. Stevens was positive in her attitude against the re-establishment of a small part of the work of the Secretary of War Taft and others, showing there is more drunkenness among enlisted men since the canteen has been abolished than before, but she insisted that no statistics have been compiled to support their position.

The attempt to restore the canteen is only a small part of the work of the liquor element of this country," said the president. "I confidently predict that that congress will take no adverse action the coming winter."

Mrs. Stevens saw much to encourage the advocates of equal suffrage and believed the time is near when all women as well as men may exercise the privilege of the ballot.

Reports of the national officers and heads of departments occupied the afternoon session. The evening meeting designated "welcome night" over which Mrs. Stevens presided. There were addresses of welcome by Mayor McLeary, Superintendent of Schools Fosbury, Rev. Horace Davis and others, and responses by Mrs. Howard M. Hogg, Virginia; Mrs. Cora Scherry, Mrs. Dorothy Livingston, Rhode Island and Floyd Starr of Michigan.

## MASSACRE SOON TO BEGIN

Russian Capital on the Verge of An Outbreak Which Only Force Can Quell.

### GENERAL TREPOFF IS ACTING MODERATELY

Meetings of Extremists Were Allowed in Various Places and Fiery Speeches Were Made Without Interference.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27.—The present situation cannot be described as anything but a state of war. The present situation cannot be described as anything but a state of war. The present situation cannot be described as anything but a state of war.

One of the most prominent members of the emperor's council received the Associated Press representative today and said with every evidence of deep emotion:

"The situation is a grievous and painful one and I see no way out of it, except by the employment of armed force. I speak of the employment of armed force, not of the employment of force. I speak of the employment of armed force, not of the employment of force. I speak of the employment of armed force, not of the employment of force."

The minister said that the law creating a responsible cabinet and Count Witte's nomination as premier, announced tomorrow. Under the statute the premier may or may not hold a special portfolio.

Count Witte spent almost the entire day with the emperor at Peterhof and he has not confided to his colleagues whether he intends to take the ministry of the interior, or the ministry of finance, or no portfolio at all. The whole of the ministerial body is also in ignorance as to whether they will retain their places under the new leader.

Realizing that the monster meeting at the university would inevitably lead to a bloodbath, General Trepoft, who announced during the afternoon that he intended to prevent the assembly, instructed the police to close their eyes to the fact and the meeting, which was attended by between 15,000 and 20,000 persons, passed off without a conflict.

The troops stationed around the building were withdrawn but in the city the city house and other nearby buildings half a dozen companies of Cossacks and strong forces of infantry and dragoons were in readiness to salve forth if necessary.

Big meetings were also held in the technological and art institutes and in two engineering schools. The students at neither of these meetings took a prominent part in the deliberations, yielding the hospitality of the college buildings without attempting to cloak the meetings with the guise of student assemblies. With the hope of avoiding further meetings at the university, General Trepoft later placed halls in three different parts of the city at the disposal of the people for meetings, thereby practically conceding the demand of the agitators for the right of assembly.

The scene inside the university began to grow ugly. In the great open air court, with no light except a few flickering candles, on a hastily constructed tribune, from 4000 to 5000 students, students and professional men stood wedged together in the cold and wet snow, listening to revolutionary harangues.

Another great meeting was held in the central hall of the university building and several smaller meetings were held in labor and secret society halls. In all the sections a strong minority urged conservatism, but these were carried from their feet by the general enthusiasm and resolutions for a general strike in every branch of social democracy were adopted with a hurrah. Even the Chornoviks in the government service, whose meetings were largely attended, were possessed of the same spirit, and passed resolutions to stop all work in the government departments tomorrow. This probably will include the government telegraph agency and may put the telegraph and cable service out of commission.

Another resolution which was generally adopted notified the authorities that the Assize court building in Lithuania street must be opened for a universal meeting of all classes at noon tomorrow, at which measures will be adopted against any person who is reported as not adhering to the general strike.

A remarkable feature of all the speeches was the spirit of complete confidence that the success of the movement was at hand and the manifest intention, as the minister quoted in the first part of this dispatch, said, to force an armed conflict upon the government. The meetings continued far into the night.

In the city, in spite of the absence of disorders, there is a condition of actual panic. Half of the population is compelled to rely on candles or kerosene

lamps for light, while the street lamps in a large part of the city have been extinguished. The streets are practically deserted tonight except for the squads of infantry and cavalry, which are everywhere.

The shops began to close in the afternoon in even the Morskaya Nevsky and other central streets. Many of the inhabitants shut themselves in their houses, scarcely venturing out to make necessary purchases of food, which has mounted to famine prices.

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Railway communication beyond the Russian frontier is entirely discontinued. Passengers who arrived at the boundary stations yesterday are returning and many travelers bound for Russia are stopping at hotels here. The Prussian railway authorities are unable to say when communication is likely to be restored.

The telegraph administration says that the interruption of telegraph communication with Warsaw was due to a fire. The telegraph line to Lodz was open this evening and the following message was received: The city is quiet. The street railway strike continues. There have been no riots for two days owing to the railroad strike. As the city is cut off from adequate supplies the prices of food, coal and petroleum are rising fast.

MOSCOW, Oct. 27.—A general strike became effective this afternoon. All the stores, banks and other business institutions are closed and the commercial activity of Moscow is at a standstill. Great meetings are being held in several quarters of the city.

The governor general has issued a proclamation to the effect that traffic on the Nikolaia and Moscow and Kazan lines will be restored and that the strike will not prevent the city from being supplied with provisions, of which there is an ample stock.

The governor general has also issued a proclamation to the effect that for the protection of peaceable people troops have been posted throughout the city and that they will fire with ball cartridges in the case of even the smallest gathering of people or the slightest sign of disorder.

The League of Leagues has divided the city into six districts, appointing an agent in each territory to report conditions and to collect funds to support the strikers.

In the midst of the great strike movement the "National Patriotic League," which was recently organized to defend the autonomy, announced a meeting here for tomorrow to organize and arm a militia to fight against the revolution.

WARSAW, Russian Poland, Oct. 27.—Telegraphic communication between Warsaw and St. Petersburg, Moscow and Berlin was severed today in consequence of a fire in the telegraph office caused by the fusing of electric wires. The strike is in full swing at the factories here and the agitators are urging the employees of the banks and insurance and commercial houses to leave their work. The shops are still open. The workmen are holding big meetings without interference on the part of the police.

The employees of the banks have declared a strike. Agitators tonight paraded the streets, stopping the street cars and forcing the stores to close.

Patrols are on guard everywhere. A detachment of troops in the suburb of Muranoff this afternoon fired four volleys into a crowd, killing two persons and wounding many.

PEKATERINOSLAW, Oct. 27.—The troops have been withdrawn from the streets and the minor state of siege which had been proclaimed has been raised. The city is quiet. The shops will be reopened and public meetings will be permitted providing the sanction of the authorities is previously obtained. The funeral of those who were killed during the recent rioting was conducted today without interference.

BAKU, Caucasus, Oct. 27.—The strike employees captured a car loaded with government arms and 170 pounds of dynamite.

TIFLIS, Caucasus, Oct. 27.—The revolutionists have issued a proclamation calling on the recruits not to join the colors but to support the revolution with all their power.

POLITAVA, Russia, Oct. 27.—Cossacks today dispersed a meeting of many thousands of persons, several of whom were wounded. The newspapers have ceased publication.

THORN, Prussia, Oct. 27.—A message from a reliable source in Warsaw received here today states that an incendiary fire that started there last night has not been extinguished and that one part of the city is in flames.

SAMARA, Russia, Oct. 27.—The stores here are closed, the administrative offices are guarded by infantry and cavalry and there are infantry patrols in the streets.

KEIFF, Russia, Oct. 27.—The treasury and aqueduct are under guard and the whole city is in possession of the military.

WARSAW, Oct. 27.—The governor has ordered the troops to shoot every agitator.

Lodz, Oct. 27.—The governor has ordered the troops to fire in the event of disturbances; to act without mercy. The employees of all the local factories, street car lines and the suburban railroads have struck.

ODESSA, Oct. 27.—The export trade of Odessa is practically stopped and it has been impossible to load steamers since traffic on the railroad lines connecting the railways with the harbor has been suspended. Twelve British steamers are about to sail empty.

REVAL, Russia, Oct. 27.—After pillaging the shops of the gunsmiths today a crowd proceeded to plunder the factories. Troops were summoned and the shops closed. The crowds went in procession through the streets, singing revolutionary songs, discharging revolvers and setting fire to the telegraph poles. The vodka shops and all the government institutions have been closed.

Spanish Ministerial Crisis.  
MADRID, Oct. 27.—According to a semi-official note, the meeting of the cabinet tonight resulted in the ministers unanimously offering to resign.

## EACH BODY WENT IT ALONE

Interstate Commerce Conventions in Chicago Acted Independently and Adjourned.

### RAILROAD FACTION FORMED NEW LEAGUE

Thus Two Bodies Will Work for the Same Ostensible Object Although Their Interests Appear Inimical.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Both conventions of the Interstate Commerce Law League adjourned sine die today without making any effort at reconciliation, and as a consequence there will be two regularly organized bodies working in the interest of railroad rate regulation.

The title of the new association, after much discussion, was selected as the "Federal Rate Regulation Association." M. W. McLeod, the temporary chairman of the "anti-convention," was elected president of the organization and an executive board of vice presidents from the states represented was elected by the state delegations and ratified by the convention as a whole.

The purposes of the new organization, as outlined by President McLeod and G. S. Wendling of San Francisco, are to be the same as that of the regular body, except that the views of the regular body are not to be followed as set forth in the resolution. Besides the board of vice presidents, President McLeod was authorized to select a board of twelve delegates at large to formulate the by-laws and rules of the association.

The "regular" convention, before adjourning, adopted a resolution endorsing President Roosevelt's plan for federal government freight rate regulation by enjoining the members of the interstate commerce commission. It was also decided to send a copy of the platform as adopted, direct to the White House by a committee of five as follows: E. P. Bacon, Wisconsin; J. T. Call, San Francisco; F. H. Burnett, Texas; F. W. Higgins, New York and S. H. Cowan, Illinois.

In addition to such action the convention decided to send President Roosevelt a telegram saying the convention, representing forty-four states and territories and a large number of business, commercial, producing and manufacturing concerns, had adopted resolutions endorsing the president's position on the rate question as laid down in his message.

At the conclusion of the regular convention the executive committee met and organized for the ensuing year by electing these officers: Chairman, E. P. Bacon, Wisconsin; vice chairman, J. E. Howard, Kansas; secretary, Adolph Muller, Illinois; treasurer, R. S. Lyon, Illinois.

It was decided by the executive committee to organize in every state and enter upon a vigorous campaign for the success of the Roosevelt rate regulation plan. According to present plans of congress and business and commercial bodies in each state will be asked to petition United States senators in their respective states to vote for the Roosevelt measure. In accordance with this the proceedings of the convention will be published and distributed, along with other literature, in the interest of the government.

The Railroad Crowd.  
After several amendments to the report submitted by the resolutions committee of the "anti-convention" were adopted, the report as presented was adopted by a unanimous vote. The resolutions as adopted declared: "The resolutions shall be kept within their definite rights," and that "such legislation be taken as will remedy existing evils."

In addresses of its members the convention protested that the delegates had come to Chicago in the interests of the railroads.

Beside the board of vice presidents, President McLeod was authorized to select a board of twelve delegates at large to formulate the by-laws and rules of the convention. Among the vice presidents elected were L. C. Roloffson, San Francisco; A. B. Moss, Fayette, Idaho; former Governor B. F. White, North Dakota; Wallis Nash, Oregon; George J. George, Salt Lake, and Goldsmith, Seattle.

When the Studebaker Hall convention resumed business the following report of the committee on resolutions was read:

"We declare as a fundamental basis of our deliberations and of our purpose, an unquestioning faith in the wisdom, integrity and high purpose of President Roosevelt, our appreciation of his influence, which permeates every branch of government, every industry, and all development of the entire nation and our confidence in his leadership."

"We recommend definite action by this convention, looking to the establishment of every permanent organization which shall be representative of every state and territory in the union and shall be the nucleus for all further work that shall become necessary hereafter to carry out the expressed will of this association."

ment, inimical to the best interests of commerce and the continued development of this country.

"Recognizing existing evils connected with the transportation interests of the country, viz.: All forms of monopoly, favoritism, extension to one individual or locality, to the disadvantage and detriment of others; private car lines, industrial terminals or switching lines, manipulation of freight classification, unfair and unequal distribution of freight equipment, etc., as we demand the most rigid enforcement of laws which, if found to be inadequate, should be amended as to provide speedy, efficient and permanent relief."

"We recognize the great and almost universal dissatisfaction with the interstate commerce laws as now administered or enforced as due to the delay in reaching a determination of questions demanding early and final settlement and we urge upon congress the imperative necessity for providing the necessary machinery for relief."

Nelson to Fight McGovern.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—According to a morning paper, Terry McGovern and Bartling Nelson have been matched to fight six rounds, probably before a Philadelphia club, about the middle of December. Joe Humphrey, Terry's manager, said yesterday that all other offers to fight McGovern must await the outcome of his bout with Nelson.

Asks Damage for Lynching.  
COVINGTON, Ky., Oct. 27.—Mrs. Mary Thacker, widow of William Thacker, who was lynched at Flemingsburg, two years ago for killing the son of George Gordon, filed a sensational suit in the federal court here yesterday. She sued Gordon and other citizens of Flemingsburg for \$50,000 damages for holding her husband, and alleges that an arrangement existed between the men and Jailer Morris to get the keys to the jail.

## O'BRIEN IS TOO SHIFTY

Kauffman Was Out in the Seventeenth.

Philadelphia Veteran Landed at Will and He Could Not Respond.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—It took Jack O'Brien, a veteran of 200 fights, seventeen rounds to knock out Al Kauffman, who fought his second battle as a professional. Kauffman took a beating such as has seldom been received in the history of San Francisco fights. Kauffman, a husky 19-year-old boy, who is credited with a punch, could not land on the shifty man from Philadelphia.

O'Brien's side-stepping, ducking and general footwork was a marvelous exhibition of skill. Kauffman, with all his strength could land only an occasional blow on that never hit a vital spot. O'Brien, cool and self possessed, danced in and out, hitting the youngster almost at will.

Early in the fight Kauffman's left eye was closed and his nose commenced to bleed. In spite of the terrible punishment administered to him the boy kept after his experienced adversary and on several occasions rallied and fought back in a manner that brought the spectators to their feet. In the seventeenth round a selection of left punches to the jaw staggered Kauffman and then O'Brien put over a right cross to the jaw and the California boy fell to the mat, his head striking with great force.

Kauffman showed that he is strong, willing and game to the core, but that he lacks experience and skill as a boxer when compared with a man like O'Brien. Kauffman, who is a graduate of the Olympic Athletic club, where he fought a number of battles as an amateur and resigned when he became a professional, was a hot favorite at odds of 10 to 6.

Most of the wagers were made at even money that Kauffman would not win within fifteen rounds. The top heaviness of the odds, however, was increased by a great deal by sentiment and not by the actual chances of the two contestants.

In the first round Kauffman made a very good showing, catching O'Brien once on the jaw. From the second to the fifteenth O'Brien administered a great deal of punishment. At the beginning of the fifteenth the police made a motion as if to stop the contest, but yielded to Delaney's importunity to allow it to proceed. Kauffman took a brace, got O'Brien in a corner and sent him against the ropes with right and lefts to the face.

He followed his man about the ring, but O'Brien kept out of the danger line. The crowd was in a great uproar and yelled for Kauffman to "finish him." It was but a flash in the pan. The bell rang and O'Brien went to his corner spitting blood. Kauffman had made his best effort and landed the most damaging blow of the fight—a straight smash to O'Brien's mouth, which came very near turning the tide of battle.

In the final round Kauffman came up with both eyes almost closed. O'Brien landed several fearful wallops to the jaw and then, following that with a crashing full right swing that caught Kauffman flush on the jaw and he went down like a piece of lead. He lay prone until long after the count and was carried to his corner limp and completely knocked out.

In the preliminary Jim Hayward of New York and Billy Shepherd of Australia, both colored, fought two rounds, at the end of which Hayward was declared the winner.

Ralph Worthington of New York, put out Harry McTond of this city in the third round.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—William A. Guay, father-in-law of Clarence H. Mackay, died at Mackay's residence, Harbor Hill, Roslyn, L. I., today, aged 50 years.

## CALLED HIM PRINCE OF PEACE

Roosevelt's Anniversary Celebrated in Philadelphia By Banquet of His Friends.

### GOVERNOR CUMMINS OF IOWA WAS THERE

Railroad Man Told Something of the Hidden History of Railroad Rebates and Called Them Evils.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 27.—President Roosevelt's 47th birthday was celebrated in St. Paul by the "Original Roosevelt Club" tonight, through the medium of a banquet in the large dining room of the Ryan hotel, at which over 400 covers were laid for enthusiastic admirers of President Roosevelt, who, in the language of Governor Cummins, was in more senses than one "the man of the hour."

President A. B. Stickney of the Great Western railway, who was assigned the topic of "The President and the Railroads," said:

"It is well known that ever since competitive railways have existed the actual competitive rates have been made by the rebates system."

"The rebate is the offspring of competition and is never paid except on competitive business. It probably originated with the railways."

"The ingenuity which is now exercised by both railways and their customers to maintain the secrecy of rebates can be illustrated better than described. Since the injunctions were issued—and the terrors of the law are considered imminent—I have been told—I do not vouch for its truth, although I have seen what purports to be a copy of the contract between shippers and the routing agent—of cases where young men from so-called sporting agencies in New York make periodic trips through the Western cities, leaving not bank checks, but packages of actual money, without note or comment, upon certain merchants' desks, taking no voucher nor receipt. Curiously when these packages are counted they are found to be exactly certain percentages, supposed to be 25 per cent of the amount of freight which such merchants have paid a certain railway company since the last previous visit of the young man who thus distributes hundreds of thousands of dollars annually."

He continued: "Stating the gist of the law in a nutshell, the railway companies have an absolute monopoly and under the law fix the price upon that which they alone can produce and which every living man must consume (railway transportation), and the law makes it a misdemeanor for the customer to kick. Is that a 'square deal'?"

"It is wrong in principle but as long as there are competitive railways it is of little practical importance because unrestrained rates cannot be enforced. But in twenty years, possibly in ten years, there will be few if any competitive railways, and it thereby becomes important while we can to establish these correct principles in law."

"Experience has proven that no commission can be a disinterested arbiter of arbitration while at the same time it is engaged in the prosecution of the case at bar. Hence if the recommendation of the president is adopted, the arbitration committee appointed for the purpose of arbitrating disputes in respect to rates, should not be charged with the executive duty of enforcing the provisions of the law, or of their own decisions."

"Mr. Chairman, never before has the American people had a Roosevelt for a president. Never before a president, in season and out of season, in official documents and from the stump, so courageously stood for the square deal."

Governor Cummins of Iowa received cheers when he rose to speak on "The President and the Tariff."

Governor Cummins, speaking on the topic of "the president and tariff," said:

"Looking at our people from the standpoint of public affairs I see three kinds of men. The first class is made up of law breakers, conscious violators and selfish hunters for unfair advantage."

"The second class is composed of a host of good men who are either too busy, too tired or too timid to organize the warfare upon the wrong doer."

"The third class is made up of the leaders of the world's true progress. They are few in number but mighty in their influence."

"One of these men was born on the 27th of October, 1858."

"The Republican party has enrolled many noblemen in the highest office in the land, but we never conferred the honor on a better son of the republic than he who now occupies the most exalted station in the world, the man of the hour—the idol of people—the commander of armies, the prince of peace—Theodore Roosevelt."

"If we are happy in the character of our leader we are not less so in the history of our party. The advance to a higher civilization, to better laws, to national greatness are his advances."

"It is not enough, however, to contemplate merely what has been done. In these days of vast enterprises, of unheard of accumulations of vast wealth by a single man, or combination of men, when the laws of the land can be used to foster and protect selfish interests, it is as natural as the resurgence of the seasons that the rich and powerful

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## Cut This Out

Bring this slip and get a full pound box of fresh Chocolate Creams today for ..... 30c

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For \$1-3c fleece backed kimono and wrapper flannels, 27 inches wide, in all new fall colors and patterns.



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## Stylish Covert Coat \$12.50

You have never seen anything like them for style and quality, fully worth \$18.50; made of all wool covert; inlaid collar and cuffs of velvet; tailor stitched; all tailor stitched seams, straps and side pockets.

## Swell Eton Suits \$22.50

Something very new and stylish; never shown in Fresno before; any other store would ask you \$35.00 for same suit in like quality and style; made of imported English broadcloth with the very latest touch in trimmings; skirt is full pleated of new circular cut.



## Extraordinary Good Values in Ladies' Winter Weight Cotton Underwear

## Ladies' Cotton Vests, 25c

With pants to match, fleece lined and ribbed, in grey and cream.

## Ladies' Cotton Vests, 50c

Heavy fleece lined, with pants to match, fine ribbed, in grey, cream and white.

## Ladies' Union Suits, 50c

An extra good value, fleece lined, ribbed, easy to put on, in grey and cream.

## Children's Cotton Vests, 25c

Fleece lined with pants to match, fine ribbed, in white and grey.

## Children's Union Suits, 35c

Good weight fleece lined, in grey and white.

## Children's Union Suits, 75c

Extra heavy, fleece lined, fine ribbed, open down front, grey and white.



## Better Quality and Better Made Woolen Underwear Under Value

## Ladies' Union Suits, \$1.25

Mixed with cotton and wool, very fine elastic rib, open down front and across.

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## TO ESCAPE PUBLICITY

Smith Would Plead Guilty to Reduced Charge.

His Attorneys Make the Proposition to District Attorney—What Jones Says Says About It.

There is but one way by which it is possible for Joseph M. Smith to escape being tried in the Superior court and for those connected with the shooting of J. P. Aswell by Smith, both indirectly and directly to escape the exposure that a full disclosure of the facts of the case would cause. That one legal avenue of escape is for Smith to plead guilty. But to plead guilty to the charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder, which is the charge against Smith, would mean imprisonment in state prison. The law allows, however, a fine as a penalty for assault with a deadly weapon.

The fact has got out that Smith's attorneys are working to bring about a reduced offense, so that Smith can pay a fine and forever keep his secret.

While it is said to be possible for a judge to permit a plea to a reduced charge, without the consent of the district attorney, yet custom leaves the matter wholly with the district attorney.

Jones admitted that Smith's attorneys had visited him upon one occasion concerning the matter. He said that he told them that while he was a personal friend of Smith yet he had not created the circumstances and that he did not consider that Smith's attorneys had any right to ask him to treat Smith with any more consideration than that given any other man charged with crime. Jones says he told them that when they came to him to talk of the possibilities of the case they must come and discuss it from the standpoint of lawyers and not from the possible standpoint of effect upon jurors.

The district attorney says that up to the present time no agreement of any kind has been entered into by him and that so far as matters now stand Smith must be tried. Jones will not say that he will not consent to the entering of a plea of guilt less than assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder.

"I shall treat Smith exactly as I would treat any other man before the court," said Jones last night. "He is entitled to no more consideration from me as district attorney than is any other man charged with crime and he will not get any more consideration than is due him. Whenever a case comes to me I must consider it entirely from the standpoint of the sworn prosecutor of the county. It is no unusual thing for the district attorney's office to make no objections when a man wishes to enter a plea of guilty to a lesser offense than the one he is charged with. Our willingness to make no objections rests entirely on the status of the evidence. I figure on what is best to be done under the circumstances.

"As far as Smith is concerned, I cannot say whether I will make objections to his entering a plea of guilty to a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, which is punishable with a fine of not over \$5000 or two years in jail or both, because the case is not in such shape that I am prepared to say what is best to be done. It might be a case of acquittal by a jury or a penalty for a lesser crime. I can't say how strong the defense is and until Smith's attorneys set their case more fully before me I can't say what I'll do.

It is evident that Smith's attorneys have had the reduced charge in contemplation. It is believed by his friends that if Smith can get assurance that the penalty will not be too burdensome, possibly a fine only, he will plead guilty to assault with a deadly weapon, provided the court will stand for the concession.

## GONG AHS TO EXPLAIN LOSS

One Accuses Other of Stealing and Then Bails Him Out of Jail.

There is trouble for the Gong Ah family and the trouble is over the earthly belongings of the estate of Big Jim, the Chinaman who died last spring, and for whose estate two contestants arose—Min Jang with a Chinese will, and C. A. Schweizer with a will written and signed in English. The troubles of the Gong Ah family have arisen because before Schweizer, who won the will contest and was given letters of administration, got possession of Big Jim's store in Chinatown, some \$500 away with the personal property of Big Jim. There were a revolver, a watch, a diamond ring and other articles that Schweizer now wants.

When the will was being contested there appeared for Min Jang a smooth, slippery Chink, who gave his name as Gong Ah Snow, and his tale was strong for Min Jang. The jury did not take much stock in Gong Ah Snow, for Min Jang lost.

This same Gong Ah Snow was at the bottom of many schemes and how much he had to do with the disappearance of the personal effects of Big Jim is not known. When Schweizer took possession he taxed the Gong Ah family with stealing the revolver, diamond ring and the watch. There was dense ignorance on the part of all the family congregated about the store.

Explanations were demanded and seemed necessary. Finally one Gong Ah accused another Gong Ah with being the particular Gong Ah who got away with the Big Jim valuables. That was the specific answer wanted by W. D. Crichton, attorney for Schweizer. Thursday Crichton made out a complaint and Gong Ah Wong signed it in Chinese. The complaint declared that Gong Ah Poy was guilty of grand larceny. That was in accordance with his explanation of the disappearance of the valuables. The warrant was issued by Justice of the Peace G. W. Smith and late at night Constable Dumas arrested Gong Ah Poy.

Gong Ah Poy was in jail over night. Yesterday morning he was taken before Justice of the Peace Smith and his bail fixed at \$1000.

Then it was that Gong Ah Wong, who had accused his fellow Gong Ah of theft, did a friendly act. He rustled the bail on which Gong Ah was turned loose. The two went back to Chinatown to talk over their troubles.

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## Sale Women's \$15.00 Fancy Mixed 3-4 Length Coats Today at \$9.95



Sample coats that our New York man bought from a maker who had several duplicate lines of samples. While our season has only just begun the manufacturers' season is about over, for he is already planning for spring. The lot comprises about twenty coats in all. They are made of pretty Fancy Mixed Suitings, the mannish effects that are so much in vogue now. They are the pretty soft mixed grey effects, and the kind that are most durable because they do not show spots or stains. Now, there are several styles; some have loose backs with strap in center, some half fitted, some the very new Pad-dock effect. They are values ranging up to \$15.00; today, while they last, choice \$9.95.

### New Circular and Pleated Skirts from \$7 to \$17.50

Over one hundred new skirts arrived within the last few days. Of course they are the newest things shown in New York. The circular seems to be quite the thing, but the pleated skirts are holding their own and in many instances are preferred to the others. The pleated ones are especially good for full forms, while the circular for the slender forms. Materials are Panama, Chiffon, Fancy Grey Suitings that are mannish in every way. Voiles, Fancy Mixtures, in many different designs and colors; Cravenette, Serge, and Silk Taffeta.

### New Broadcloth Eton Suits at \$25.00 That Would Be Reasonable at \$35.00

The fact of the matter is you can look the town over, go anywhere you please and you simply can't find suits of same quality cloth with same amount of style as ours have under \$35.00. They are made of the real French Broadcloth that has a heavy nap to it— which insures that it is well covered—and costs more than the kind that is not; beautifully strapped and tailored, taffeta lined, some strapped, others trimmed in velvet and braid, newest sleeves, newest cuffs, newest skirts.

### \$10.00 Lace Waists While They Last \$7.75

New ones that have not been shown before. Made of real fine pattern chantilly lace, silk lined, trimmed in point Venice lace to form pretty yoke in center of which is a large lace medallion which sets the waist off beautifully; full length sleeves; deep, new cuffs; pretty stock collar.

## THE WONDER CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE.

## LAST GAME WITH LOCALS

Tomorrow's Contest Oakland's Final One With Fresno.

"Smiling" Schmidt May Twirl for Visitors—Manager Nelson is After Chance to Finish Season Here.

Four more games finish the State league season. Tomorrow the Oakland team plays its last game here and there bids fair to be one of the season's banner crowds out to watch the entertainment. Last Sunday the Oakland team played San Jose, losing the game in the eighth inning by the score of 2 to 1. "Smiling" Schmidt, the well known Oakland pitcher who twirled against Fresno for San Jose some weeks ago, and who was recently released from the Oakland Coast league team because of a difference with President Hawbaker, pitched for the Oaks and he will probably be on the slap here tomorrow. Pitted against him last Sunday was Elmer Stricklett, late of Brooklyn, the man who claims to be the real inventor of the "spit ball." Schmidt held the Prune Pickers to three hits, while Stricklett allowed five. But the latter was more fortunate in his support and consequently the Oakland team lost.

The last time Oakland was here Fresno won by a score of 1 to 0, one of the fastest and most interesting games of the season. There is no denying that the Athenians have always played interesting exhibitions here and as tomorrow marks their last appearance this

season they should be greeted with a big crowd. Fresno is determined to win again tomorrow if it is in the cards to do so. The fight for the pennant is a mighty close one and Fresno's chances of winning are as good as Stockton's. If both take the next four straight, it means a post-season series for the championship of the last half. So both Fresno and Stockton can be depended upon to play the game fast for the balance of the season.

How would you like to see Frank Chance playing with Fresno? It might help some, don't you think? Danny Shary is again with Stockton and got four hits out of five times up last Sunday. And if he can do that well in this league, Chance, one of the greatest batters in the country, certainly ought to be able to tear off an occasional wallop. Well, Chance is on his way home, and Manager Nelson is going to try to get him. Frank is always willing to help Fresno in any way he can and it is very probable that he will be secured.

And it isn't at all unlikely, either, that Orval Overall will pitch a game or two for the locals. The big Visalia boy is on his way home from Cincinnati and he has been communicated and asked to name his terms. "Orvie" would be a great card here. However, better pitching than O'Brien is giving Fresno is not needed. The blonde boy has pitched great ball ever since he joined the local squad. While the managers of the big leagues are around snatching up talent from the "bushes" they are overlooking their hand when they let O'Brien pass by.

### HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM TO PLAY SELMA

Game Will be Called at Recreation Park This Afternoon.

The high school football team will play its first game of the season with the team of Selma this afternoon. The game will be called at Recreation park at 2:30 this afternoon.

A great deal of enthusiasm has been aroused among the high school students this year for their team, and this support will put ginger in the game that is sometimes absent. The players have been practicing faithfully for a month, and are in fine fettle for the gridiron contest.

The line-up for the afternoon will be: Right end, C. Leonard; right tackle, W. Byrd; right guard, T. Ruschaupt; center, N. McNulty; left guard, F. Laning; left tackle, C. Morton; left end, C. Minard; punters, A. Drew and W. Wagner; right half, L. Harris; left half, C. Shannon; full back, E. Hanner. Walter Byrd, who plays right tackle, is captain of the team, and James Carling has had the management.

The Selma team, which is to come up today, is not an exclusively high school bunch, but nearly all are. Lon Bobo is the captain. Yesterday afternoon, the boys of the high school here, had a rooters' meeting, in which songs and yells for the game today were practiced. The team will appear for the first time in their new suits, the other students will all wear rooters' hats and the school colors, orange and purple. Ben Holden is yell leader.

The manager has had a hard time this fall arranging practice games, but hopes to have them regularly hereafter. The big games of the season are usually with Tulare and Porterville high schools.

## PROFITS OF WATER DEAL

Sensational Allegations in a San Diego Suit.

Defendant Company Alleges That Plaintiff Reaped Rich Harvest From Spreckels.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 27.—Large sums of money and great tracts of land are involved in the suit of Babcock vs. the Southern California Mountain Water company, answers of the defendant in which have just been filed. The suit is for the control of the stock of the water company, which owns water sheds and dams, constituting the greatest water system in Southern California. The answers, in addition to referring to the stock in question, set up that the plaintiff, E. S. Babcock, caused the Southern California Mountain Water company to be incorporated for the purpose of transferring to it the property of the Otay Water company and the Mount Tecate Water company, a controlling interest in which was owned by Babcock.

It further alleges that Babcock caused 183 acres of land owned by the Otay Water company to be transferred to the Southern California Mountain Water company for \$150,000, which was much more than it was worth, and further caused the Mountain Water company to buy certain shares of stock owned by Babcock in the Mount Tecate Water company and pay him therefore \$35,400 at that time. The stock of the Mount Tecate company had no value at all. It is further alleged that Babcock caused the Mountain Water company to buy for \$275,000 from Babcock's wife 1184 acres in the Janel ranch; that the Janel ranch consisted of something over 4000 acres, and that the whole 4000 acres cost Mrs. Babcock only \$30,000, and that she sold 1100 acres out of the 4000 to the Mountain Water company for \$275,000, all of which money to make these large purchases was contributed directly and indirectly by J. D. Spreckels and Bros. Company.

**Roll of Honor.**  
The names of the following people of Temperance Colony school appear on the roll of honor: Louise, Alder, Ada Bates, Hazel Beall, Edward Keller, Alva Shafer, Newton Nichols, Anna Bartels, Edward Newton, Freda Kruse, Gretchen Kruse, Verma Warner, Goldie Olson and Elsie Kruse, Freda Harrison, James Howden.

**Sentenced Riotous Greeks.**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 27.—A special dispatch to the Evening Telegram from Roseburg, Ore., says: Judge Hamilton today sentenced Tom, George and Anton Mizes to ten years each and Peter Dmas to three years in the penitentiary, for their participation in the riot at Glenbrook in which Mrs. Petteerstein was killed. The Greeks were track workers.

## BABY'S VOICE

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe, angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall behold her motherhood with indescribable dread and fear. Every woman should know that the danger, pain and horror of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of Mother's Friend, a scientific liniment for external use only, which toughens and renders pliable all the parts, and assists nature in its sublime work. By its aid thousands of women have passed this great crisis in perfect safety and without pain. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle by druggists. Our book of priceless value to all women sent free. Address: BRADFORD HILLMAN & CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$6.85, closing out price \$6.85  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$7.45, closing out price \$7.45  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$9.85, closing out price \$9.85  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$10.85, closing out price \$10.85  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$11.00, closing out price \$11.00  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$12.00, closing out price \$12.00  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$13.45, closing out price \$13.45  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$14.85, closing out price \$14.85  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$15.00, closing out price \$15.00  
Any Suit or Overcoat, former price \$16.45, closing out price \$16.45  
Hats—Steel and Tan Fedoras, regular price one dollar and a half, retiring price .65c  
Hats—Pearl and Tan Fedoras, regular price two dollars, retiring price .95c  
Hats—Florentina, fine quality, regular price two fifty, retiring price .125  
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All Fancy, fifteen and twenty cent Socks, sold now at retiring price .11c  
Linen Collars, broken sizes, regular value twenty cents, retiring price .5c  
Patent Shield Bows, regular value twenty-five cents, retiring price .11c  
Midget String Ties, regular value twenty-five cents, retiring price .11c  
Four-in-Hand Silk Ties, regular value twenty-five and thirty-five cents, retiring price .19c  
Gloves, regular value twenty-five cents, retiring price .15c  
Gloves, regular value fifty and seventy-five cents, retiring price .35c  
Boys' Suspenders .10c and .15c  
Suspenders, the twenty cent kind everywhere, retiring price .12c  
Suspenders, the standard world's beauty, regular price .25c, retiring price .25c  
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Underwear, derby ribbed, fifty and seventy-five cent kind, retiring price .37c  
Underwear, one dollar and a half and two dollar kind, retiring price .75c  
Working Shirts, fifty and seventy-five cent kind, retiring price .37c  
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YOUTHS—We are selling youths' long pants suits for \$2.50, worth four fifty.  
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We are selling youths' long pants suits for \$3.50, worth six and seven.  
We are selling youths' fine cassimeres, worsteds and tweeds for \$4.00, worth eight.  
We are selling youths' fancy worsteds and American woolen mills tweeds for \$5.00, worth ten.  
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SALARIES.

Somewhere has made an impressive diagram of the comparative salaries of public officials and life insurance officials. A picture of a bundle of bills representing \$8000, the salary of the vice-president of the United States is taken as a unit. A cabinet minister gets one bundle of the same unit. The chief justice of the Supreme court gets \$12,000—one bundle and part of another. President Roosevelt gets \$30,000—six bundles and part of another. And with this we just begin to approach the class of the least of the life insurance magnates. Paul Morton, at the head of the reformed and economized Equitable gets \$80,000—ten bundles. John A. McCall gets \$100,000—already a long row by the side of which the vice-president's tiny bundle looks insignificant. Robert H. McCurdy has a still more impressive row—\$121,706. To make a standard for the still higher magnates, it becomes necessary to lump public dignitaries. The president of the United States, vice-president, all the cabinet, and the chief justice between them get \$414,000. Richard McCurdy tops this with \$150,000. The governors of all the fifty-one states and territories combined draw \$234,900. Richard McCurdy and son, at the executive head of one life insurance company, surpass even this enormous sum, receiving \$271,706, within a few dollars of as much as all the governors and the president, too. In other words, this one insurance company pays for the executive services of two men, father and son, as much as the United States pay for the executive services of all the state governors and the national president.

The highest public officials are of course underpaid, being alone among public servants in this peculiarity. But making all due allowances, the discrepancy is enormous.

And the discrepancies elsewhere, wherever salaries are fixed by men who vote away other people's money, are equally startling, though usually less in amount. When a man's salary is fixed by the man or firm that has to pay it, he has to be worth that salary or he won't get it. But the value of that man enormously rises, the instant he can be paid out of other people's money. The receiver of a bankrupt corporation always gets more than the manager of the same corporation solvent, and he can prove by the unanimous testimony of all the experts that his time is worth the extra sum. The doctor who makes \$2 a day at his inpatient and semi-outpatient practice, immediately finds his time worth \$20 a day if called on for some public service. The expert in any line who draws a few dollars a day for his skill can get that skill appraised at five times as much, whenever it comes under any sort of public review. Small public officials, who found it hard work to make \$50 a month in private life, regard \$200 a month as starvation wages as soon as they are elected to office, and all their \$50 friends agree with them.

"Other people's money" is getting too cheap. These big salaries (life insurance companies are not the only people who pay them) are a bad symptom. But each particular salary can be proved moderate in court by the unanimous testimony of all the experts on the value of time. Let these same experts hire the same men to do the same work, where they will have to pay for it themselves, and they will cut the salaries in half or less. Nobody able to read and write can work for less than \$100 a month, and no gentleman can work for less than \$3000 a year—if you let them fix the value of their own services in other people's money. But most of them actually do work for much less than this.

REDDING'S EXAMPLE.

By a vote of ten to one, Redding has decided to bond the city for \$145,000, to extend the sewer system, improve the streets, and erect a city hall. If Redding can afford \$145,000, Fresno can certainly afford all that is now proposed to be expended and a great deal more. And if Redding can vote this debt by ten votes to one, Fresno can certainly afford to do as well.

There is little opposition to the bonds, but that little is active and positive, and cannot be overcome by mere passivity and indifference. The passage of at least the sewer bonds is imperative, and it is highly desirable to pass the city hall bonds also. Either or both may be lost unless the main mass of the citizens take an active interest in passing them. The sewers in the south half of town are already a menace to the health and safety of the whole city. An epidemic of diphtheria or typhoid, started in any part of town would soon spread to all the others. The outbreak sewer is already inadequate, there is no intercepting sewer, the outer end of the outlet is falling to pieces, and the system of sewage disposal at the end has an injunction of court hanging over it ready to drop at any moment. Something must be done, and done now. Much the cheapest thing to do is to vote the bonds, and divide the payment over the next forty years.

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The time has come when statesmanship demands that through reciprocity, in some form or other, our farmers shall be permitted to enter foreign markets with their products upon even terms with their competitors everywhere. It will not satisfy them to say we are prosperous."

Congressman J. Adam Bede handled the topic "The President and Congress" in a witty manner. Bede's speech closed the celebration.

YREKA, Cal., Oct. 27.—Jarrett S. Irving was notified this afternoon that in the second degree in the killing of Henry G. Curran, August 30, Irving went to Curran's cabin to settle a dispute about some bedding and shot Curran with a rifle, claiming that he saw a knife gleam or heard a pistol crack and thought Curran was in the act of shooting or stabbing him.

SALINAS, Oct. 27.—Coroner Muller was notified this afternoon that Nellie England, aged 23, a native of Castroville, had been killed in an accident near San Juan. The young woman was driving in a light wagon when she met an automobile which frightened her, which bolted, throwing Miss England out of the wagon and breaking her neck.

TOPEKA, Kans., Oct. 27.—The appointment of E. L. Moore to be assistant general auditor of freight rates of the Santa Fe railroad, with headquarters at Topeka, was announced here today. Moore succeeds J. D. Stewart, resigned. He has been chief clerk to W. J. Healy, general auditor of freight receipts. The appointment is effective, November 1.

Those Transport Swindlers. HONOLULU, Oct. 27.—The federal grand jury today returned indictments against J. Duffy, John Rooney and John Shea, charging them with attempting to pass counterfeit ten dollar bills in Honolulu. The men are in custody in San Francisco. William Moore, in custody here also was indicted. All the accused men are from the transport Sherman.

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Promptly at 9 o'clock this morning we place on sale some extra fine values in embroideries at 58c a yard. Values in the lot up to \$2.50.

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We must apologize for not being able to wait on all promptly. The afternoon crowds were too much for us. Plenty of help for Saturday.

GOOD MORNING	75c COLORED TAFFETA, 58c	\$1.75 FINE BLACK TAFFETA, \$1.39
Are you asking for your votes. Don't fail to get them, then vote them the same day.	All the leading shades, 19 inches wide, also black and white.	Full 35 inches wide, fine Swiss cloth.
The list grows larger from day to day—interest becomes more intense. Here is the count as it stood Friday morning:	85c COLORED TAFFETA, 79c	\$1.75 WEAR GUARANTEED TAFFETA, \$1.52
Ellen Brown, Jefferson ... 9718	19 inches wide, all colors, including white and black.	Splendid 36 inch black.
Yetta Peterson, Kroecker ... 7357	50c LINING TAFFETA, 39c	\$1.25 BLACK PEAU DE SOIE, \$1.00
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Clarence Schmitz, Jefferson ... 2976	85c BLACK CHIFFON TAF. FETA, 69c	\$1.00 BLACK SILK ARMURE, 69c
Flissie Epperson, Madison ... 2663	20 inches, black only.	19 inches wide, suitable for coats and wraps of all kinds.
Lillian Weaver, Lowell ... 2383	\$1.25 BLACK GUARANTEED TAFFETA, 59c	\$1.00 BLACK SILK POPLIN, 69c

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1000 Yards of Fine White Cambric Muslin 8c. In mill ends from 2 to 5 yards; worth at regular price about 15c a yard.

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Saturday's Big Domestic Specials

15c Linen Glass Toweling 11c	25c Embossed and Lens Draperies, 19c	25c Black Siren's Sateen 15c
18 inches wide; comes in small checks and plaids, in pink and blue coloring.	Will be a lively item in tomorrow's drapery department at this low price; striped, used for draperies, etc.	Mercerized, jet black shade; excellent for petticoats and for lining purposes. On sale Saturday at yard price, 15c.
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Worth \$2.35 easily. Filled with best white cotton, and stitched. Two dozen at this price.

Men's Furnishings for Saturday Underpriced

Men's White Golf Shirts, \$1.25 kind	89c
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Made of fine covert cloth, 52 inches long.	
Men's Long overcoats, belted back, hair-cloth fronts, vent in back, very stylish;	
\$15.00 kind	\$11.45
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Tiny infants' flannel kimonos in white, pink and blue, well made, fancy stitched edges; silk ribbon, special ..... 25c

Ladies' Silk Belts 39c

Ladies' silk belts, all the latest styles, in black, white, red, navy, champagne, brown, green, etc., values up to \$1, special ..... 39c

Ladies' Vests and Tights 98c

Ladies' mercerized vests and tights in black, white, pink and blue, fine as silk ..... 98c

Children's Union Suits 25c

Children's fleece lined union suits all sizes ..... 25c

Children's Union Suits 50c

Children's heavy fleece lined union suits, excellent grade ..... 50c

50 Inch Lace Curtains \$1.50

50 inches wide and 3 1/2 yards long, of heavy cream Nottingham lace, outlined open work border, plain center; a strong, showy curtain, sale price, pair ..... \$1.50

Ladies' Vests and Pants 25c

Heavy ribbed, fleece lined vests and pants, all sizes ..... 25c

Ladies' Vests and Pants 50c

Fleece lined, good quality, in cream, white or grey ..... 50c

Sale of Floss Sofa Pillows

18x18 inch Floss Pillows ..... 25c  
20x20 inch Floss Pillows ..... 35c  
22x22 inch Floss Pillows ..... 39c  
24x24 inch Floss Pillows ..... 49c

Ladies' Flannel Skirts 50c

Ladies' flannel skirts, heavy quality; pink, blue, white or cream; five different styles; special ..... 50c

Children's Hose 12 1-2c

Children's heavy ribbed fast black seamless hose; double knee and foot ..... 12 1-2c

Veal Calf Shoes for Boys.

Boys' youths' and little men's veal calf lace shoes; heavy extension soles with quilted bottoms; can not wear them out. This is an everlasting shoe.

Sizes 11 to 13 1/2, sale price ..... \$1.35

Sizes 1 to 2, sale price ..... \$1.50

Sizes 2 1/2 to 3 1/2, sale price ..... \$1.75

Patent Kid Bluchers \$1.98

Ladies' patent kid bluchers, cut lace shoes on neat, stylish lasts, extension soles, Cuban heels; our regular \$2.50 values ..... \$1.98

## BAZAAR SPECIALS IN THE BASEMENT TODAY

9 for 25c

Fairbank's Santa Claus Soap, 8 for 25c  
Valley Queen Soap, 48c Box  
Fels Naptha Soap, 12c Box

Toilet soaps in the following well known colors—Wild Honey-suckle, Blue Bell, Forest Violet and Country Club. Regular 25c.

4c Bottle—Best Liquid Blueing.

9c Bottle—Best Household Ammonia.

19c—For a good 30c parlor broom

25c—Your pick of sixty different kinds of after-dinner coffee cups, finest Austrian China, and regular 35c, 45c, 50c and 65c cups and saucers.

50 for 5c—Hardwood clothespins.

9c—Corn Poppers, regular 15c.

15c—12 inch Opal Vases, regular 35c.

19c—8-inch Opal Fruit and Cake Dishes, regular 35c.

\$1.39—Imported Bohemian Glass Water Sets, including metal tray, regular \$1.75 and \$2.00.

10 Rolls 25c—Columbia Toilet Paper.

## TONIGHT'S SPECIALS—AFTER 7 O'CLOCK P. M.

DOUBLE PREMIUM STAMPS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

4c Blue Seal Vaseline.

17c La Seduicant Face Powder.

19c Rubifacem.

14c Mennen's Talc Powder.

4c Williams' Shaving Soap.

15c Listerine.

3c Dozen for Good Quality Safety Pins.

3c Dozen for all sizes Good Grade Pearl Buttons.

3c Yard for Torchon Laces, values up to 10c.

15c for Chamis Skin, the druggists' 25c size.

4c Box of 100 Assorted Wire Hair Pins.

2c Package of 400 Good Pins, regular 5c.

4c for Box of 100 Wire Hair Pins.

## THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

The Republican may be had in San Francisco at Cooper's book store, 716 Market street, and at the Palace Hotel News Stand.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Saturday; with light fog in the morning; light west wind, increasing.  
Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Saturday, becoming cloudy at night; fresh south winds.  
Sacramento valley: Fair Saturday; light north winds.  
San Joaquin valley: Fair Saturday; light north winds.  
Coast: Fair Saturday; fresh west winds.

The Record.

FRESNO, Oct. 27.—The official readings show:  
Barometer at 9 a. m. .... 29.29  
Temperature, dry bulb ..... 57  
Temperature, wet bulb ..... 57  
Humidity, per cent ..... 39  
Wind, N. miles per hour ..... 4  
Maximum temperature ..... 80  
Minimum temperature ..... 49

## Weather Conditions.

The pressure is high over the greater portion of the country, with generally cooler weather.  
It is warmer over the Ohio and the lower Mississippi river valleys, and decidedly colder over the Rocky mountains and Plateau region. Light snow is falling at Denver.  
Local rains have fallen in Oregon, Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota, Nebraska, Texas, Missouri, Minnesota, Illinois, Pennsylvania, the Virginias, South Carolina and Florida.  
In California the weather is clear throughout the state. It is slightly warmer in the interior and cooler along the coast.

J. P. BOLTON,  
Official in Charge.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Read about  
Holland's  
Specials for Today.

Don't forget the dance tonight, Armory hall, Theo. Reitz.

Hughes Cafe. Regular dinner, 75 cents. Best value in the county.

The Y. M. C. A. Halloween social has been postponed to November 24th.

Anderson Bros' planing mill, Tel. main 136; windows, doors and screens.

Make up your mind to get right glasses, today. See Dr. Kearns, 1139 1 street.

Charles A. Higgins has filed a declaration of homestead on his home at No. 1131 Fresno street.

Masquerade suits and wigs for rent. Mrs. Douglas, 1005 Fresno street. Main 617. Store open evenings.

In planning your house don't forget the Climax Solid Water Heater; hot water free. Anderson Bros' Planing Mill.

Miss Stateman and Mrs. Allan McNab, dancing class for children, Saturday, October 28th. Adults, Monday evening, Chance Hall, Phone State 2124.

The dance to be given by the Lady Macabees will be next Tuesday night—Halloween—at Armory hall and not Thanksgiving eve, as reported. The prizes are on exhibition at W. Parker Lyon's.

The Fowler baseball club has written to the Republican accepting the challenge of the baseball team of Fire Engine No. 3 published in the Republican on Thursday, J. B. Baird, the manager, says his team will play the engine house boys in Fresno a week from tomorrow.

## RAISIN DIRECTORS CUT ON SEEDLESS

Prices Are Now Guaranteed Until January 1st—Outsiders Advance Their Quotations Half a Cent.

While the directors of the Raisin Growers' Association did not make the cut on seedless raisins Thursday night, it was learned yesterday that they did make a cut on Thompsons and Seedless Sultans.

Yesterday the board issued a circular to the trade guaranteeing prices against decline until January 1st.

Yesterday the outsiders advanced the price half a cent on loose and half a cent on seeded. They met the association's tentative cut, but when it was not confirmed, put up their prices again.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

O. A. Beeher was a visitor from San Francisco yesterday.

A. G. Wishon has gone to the West Side on a duck hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nelson are Hartford visitors in town.

F. S. McGinnis went to Los Angeles last night for Los Angeles.

E. M. Carlson was an Owl passenger last night for Los Angeles.

Dr. G. H. Aiken was a Santa Fe passenger for San Francisco last night.

George Boyle and W. H. Seward of Kingsburg spent yesterday in Fresno.

Charles L. Adams, a prominent rancher of Elkhorn, is in town on business.

George A. Helme and G. W. Hooten went north on the Santa Fe last night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Messer will be Santa Fe passengers today for Prescott, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Tooker of Minneapolis are visitors in town, registered at the Hughes.

J. J. Quant, manager of the raisin growers' association of Modera, spent yesterday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dinkelspiel of New York are stopping in Fresno for a few days while on a tour of the state.

M. F. Tarpey, vice-president of the California Raisin Growers' Association, went to San Francisco last night.

J. Wilbur Cate, who has been in Guatemala, Mexico, on business, was in town yesterday. He will be here only a few days.

Mrs. J. B. Miller and son, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Glasgow, left yesterday for their home in Peoria, Ill.

J. Warren Lane, a nurseryman, will leave Monday to go into the nursery business at Morgan Hill, near San Jose. His partner in business will be a son of Leonard Coates, the well known horticulturist.

## BORN.

WALBROND—In Fresno, October 25, 1905, 1905, to the wife of E. A. Walbrond, a son.

PITMAN—In Fresno, October 26, 1905, to the wife of J. H. Pitman, a daughter.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 27.—Colonel Charles A. Clark of this city has been appointed judge advocate general of the C. & R.

Don't forget the Bond Election next Tuesday, October 31st. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed the issue—vote for the Sewer Bonds and City Hall.

Visit the Cooking School; hours 2 to 4:30 p. m.; 7 to 8:30 p. m.

Louis Eisenberg

Visit the Carpet Department and see the new fall curtains.

## \$2.00 White Embroidered Waists 99c

This is a special value that Mr. Gundelfinger was able to pick up at a very low price while in New York. They are made with tuck yoke and two clusters of pleats in front, with all over embroidery between, tucked cuffs and pleated back. Regular \$2 value today ..... 99c  
All sizes and plenty of them.

## Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts

\$7.98

Made of heavy black taffeta silk, hip, side or foot pleated styles, a very stylish dressy skirt and worth \$10 to \$12 in the regular way. There are only 10 of them; Saturday price ..... \$7.98

## Tailored Suits

\$18.75

They should be \$25, but for today we offer this suit, with semi-fitted coat. It's striped worsted. The coat has patch pockets, welt seams and satin lined body. The skirt is eleven gored, stitched over the hips with pleat bottom; comes in grey mixed only; price ..... \$18.75

## BOYS' CAPS

We have just received a shipment which are some new shapes. The Tam Auto cap is chief among them. It comes in all the new colors and patent leather, at 50c

## Men's Underwear

We have the finest line of \$1.00 wool underwear on the market; colors grey, blue or Vienna. It's an extra value at \$1.00. Ask to see it.

## Sale of Neckties

This is the last day of the sale of four-hand ties. Have you seen the window? All are new patterns, direct from New York; 50c values ..... 20c

## Grocery Special BUTTER SALE TODAY ONLY

We will sell the finest of Humboldt Butter at 60c a square. Each weighs 2 lbs. full. This butter is choice creamery and equal to any on the market. Try it at ..... 60c

Sage Honey, Water White

Regular 15c a comb ..... 10c

Grimby Smoked Bloaters, 6 for ..... 25c

Dill Pickles, a Dozen ..... 15c

Favorite Breakfast Mush, large pkg 3 for ..... 25c

Cape Cod Cranberries, qt. .... 10c

Eastern Ham, a lb. .... 14c

## Today, October 28th Special Sale Mexican Talcum Powder and Mexican Rose Cream

To introduce the goods we will sell on Saturday only, Mexican Talcum Powder and Mexican Rose Cream at ten cents a jar. These goods sell regularly for 25c, and are guaranteed in every way to be equal to any on the market. If purchaser is not satisfied, can return same and get your money.

## Women's and Children's Underwear

Children's silver grey vests, lightly fleeced, covered seams, well finished.  
Vests to fit the child  
2 to 12 year sizes;  
Pants  
2 to 12 year sizes;  
Drawers  
6 to 12 year sizes;  
..... 25c garment

Children's heavy merino underwear, 60 per cent wool, fleece lined, covered seams, fine Jersey rib, comes in vests, pants and drawers.

2 year, size 20, garment ..... 45c  
3 year, size 22, garment ..... 50c  
4 year, size 24, garment ..... 55c  
5 year, size 26, garment ..... 60c  
6 year, size 28, garment ..... 65c  
7 year, size 30, garment ..... 70c  
8 year, size 32, garment ..... 75c  
9 year, size 34, garment ..... 80c  
10 year, size 36, garment ..... 85c  
11 year, size 38, garment ..... 90c  
12 year, size 40, garment ..... 95c

Women's fleecy vests, Jersey ribbed, neatly finished with lace and gros grain ribbon, color white; pants to match; good 75c value; a garment ..... 60c

Women's silver grey, extra size fleeced vests, Jersey ribbed, covered seams, pants to match, good 50c garment, each ..... 35c

## Newest Styles in Gloves

TWO EXTRA VALUES

Women's pure silk gloves, lined with cashmere, colors black, navy and brown, a pair ..... \$1.00  
Women's silk gloves; lined with silk, just right and correct for street wear on cool mornings, colors black, brown and navy, a pair ..... \$1.25

## Center Pieces

A choice assortment of tinted denim center pieces, handsome designs to be out lined with utopian pearl thread, each ..... 29c  
U-top pearl thread in all shades; a skin ..... 5c

\$3 Muslin Skirts, \$1.50

Women's fine muslin skirts, trimmed with embroidery, laces and fine tucks; \$3 values, each ..... \$1.50

85c Corset Covers, 57c

Women's fine French corset covers, trimmed with French Valenciennes lace and insertion, 85c values, each ..... 57c

## Special Reductions on Electric Portable Lamps

These are all in new and beautiful styles. Come and see them. They have to be seen to be appreciated.

\$6.50 Values ..... \$5.00  
\$5.00 Values ..... \$3.95  
\$4.25 Values ..... \$3.50  
\$7.00 Values ..... \$5.25

## Fresh Candies Today 30c lb.

## Advantageous Buying Makes Easy Selling.

While our buyer was in New York he was able to pick up a large number of special values at a very small fraction of their usual cost. We are going to give you the benefit of these unusual buys. Some of them we offer today.

200 YARDS 54 INCH CREAM TABLE LINEN, 39c.

54 inch cream table damask, all linen, perfectly finished, in good weight, floral designs with scroll borders, extra good value at 50c, special today ..... 39c

\$1.75 Comforters \$1.48 75c White Cotton Blankets 44 in. Panama \$1.00</



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## GENERAL SUPPORT FOR BONDS

Prominent Citizens and Tax Payers Taking Emphatic Stand  
for Municipal Improvements—Why City Should  
Have City Hall and Sewer System.

Public sentiment regarding the proposed public improvements is rapidly crystallizing. Everywhere one goes on the streets is heard approbation of the course of the city government, and the hope that the bonds will be carried by a good majority.

If examples were needed to convince people of the need of a new sewer system, all that would be necessary would be to go around town and inquire about the overflowing drains and flooded cellars. The sanitary inspector has half a dozen new complaints every day.

Emory Donahoo, said Emory Donahoo, in reply to a question, "both for the sewer and city hall. I think we've got to have both of them. The city is now paying rent for offices outside the present city hall building, and if the bonds do not carry it will not be long before other offices will have to be obtained, and the taxpayers will be paying rent enough to pay interest on the bonds. The present city hall is a disgrace to any community. I'm ashamed of it and I think every other citizen is."

"The sewer improvements were needed long ago. But in almost every public improvement where the people have the say, it takes a long time to get it. I think the people are educated up to the point now where they realize the necessity of the sewer improvements and I believe the bonds will carry by a big majority. I don't see how anybody can oppose them. We are much better off as regards bonded indebtedness than most California cities. Bonds will not raise our taxes materially and will give us improvements that will be good for many years."

L. L. Cory.

The well known attorney, L. L. Cory, is another of the leading citizens who recognizes the imperative need of the contemplated improvements.

"I don't see how any man can conscientiously vote against these bonds," Mr. Cory said. "It has been a long time since any sewer improvements were made, and Fresno has outgrown the present system by several years. People in every part of the city complain about their sewers. If these bonds should be defeated, unless the board took advantage of the law that permits them to levy a direct tax for making such improvements, some of these times Fresno will have an epidemic growing out of the lack of proper sanitation, and the cost in human lives will be nothing short of appalling. However, I am confident the bonds will carry. There will be some opposition, but not from people who own property, for they realize that the improvements under contemplation will add to the value of their property. And the people who have so far come out openly in opposition have generally been those who have some personal feeling in the matter. I have heard it predicted that the city hall bonds would be defeated. That was some weeks ago. Now I find a general sentiment that these bonds, too, will carry. Any man who has resolved not to vote for the hall bonds should walk down J street past the ramshackle affair that now poses as a city hall. He'll promptly change his mind. That building is the biggest argument I know of in favor of a new city hall."

R. D. Chittenden.

R. D. Chittenden, public administrator of this county, replying to a query as to his views, expressed them without hesitation as being in favor of bonds for city hall and sewer purposes. Says Mr. Chittenden, "We have long needed a new building which could, with some degree of satisfaction, be called a city hall. The city officials have positively no room to properly transact the business of their offices. The building as far as the appearance is concerned is

not quite equal to the ward fire engine department buildings that have recently been erected. I can but contrast the appearance of this building which we term a city hall with the handsome buildings that it has been my pleasure to view in the recent trip I took East. Cities there will less than one-third of the population of Fresno have buildings so much surpassing ours for the city hall purposes that I think the feeling of pride which every citizen should have in his city should cause him to vote for the bonds."

Jerry Ryan.

Jerry Ryan, one of Fresno's oldest pioneers, and a heavy taxpayer, is strong in his expression of opinion that the bonds both for the sewer and city hall should carry. "We have got to have the sewer improvement," he said, "no more on account of what is needed to improve the city than what is needed to improve conditions right here in town. The sewer in the southern part of town is in a condition that demands immediate remedy. As for the city hall, I believe we need it fully as much. There was a time, a good many years ago, when the present city hall was big enough to accommodate Fresno's needs. But it was a long time ago. We've outgrown that building, and I think every citizen who has any pride in Fresno whatever will vote for these bonds. I am sure they will carry. I haven't heard much kicking against them from the property owners and they are the ones who will have to bear the big share of the debt."

Louis Kutner.

Mr. Louis Kutner, a very busy man, took time yesterday to say: "Yes, I have time to talk about the proposed bond election at any time. I do not want to pay taxes any more than anyone else, but this is a question which appeals to the business interests of this city. I don't see how any man can conscientiously vote against them. The fact of the proposed enforcement of the injunction against the sewer system is enough to force us to vote for the bonds for sewer purposes, and as far as the city hall is concerned this city has been improving in every respect for the last ten or fifteen years but in the single one of a new city hall, and why should not the city erect a new one in accordance with the other improvements which have been going on here. There would be a saving in rent, if for no other purpose, and I hope personally to see the bonds carry. I do not think the citizens will permit the sewer and city hall bonds to be defeated this time when they know and realize the result."

M. B. Harris.

M. B. Harris, the attorney, expressed himself as heartily in support of the movement for municipal improvement, of which the submission of bonds for sewer and city hall purposes is a manifestation.

"I believe that a city should not be backward in doing those things which manifest interest in the public welfare. We cannot deny the need of the new sewer system, while I regard the new city hall both as a good business proposition, and as a matter of public taste that will pay from a purely financial point of view. I hope the bonds will pass."

D. C. Bristow.

Mr. D. C. Bristow stated without hesitation that he was in favor of the city hall and the proposed enlargement and changes in the sewer system. "Why," says Mr. Bristow, "if there is anyone in this city who is opposed to the sewer bonds, let them go over to the South part of town and view the places where the sewage has overflowed, and I think that that alone will cause them to vote for these bonds, and as far as the city hall is concerned, I am always for public improvements and for public buildings and I am more than willing to pay my share of the taxes necessary to erect a city hall and have a building that we as citizens may be more or less proud of in place of the present structure."

A. L. Redlick.

Mr. A. L. Redlick expressed himself forcibly in favor of the city hall and sewer bonds. "These are not improvements that are only absolutely necessary," says Redlick, "but improvements which should appeal to the citizens of as progressive a city as Fresno. Let us have a city hall which is in keeping with the balance of our public improvements. The sewers are a necessity. Of course, in addition to all this, the construction of all public improvements tends to make business better."

Other Supporters.

W. W. Eden, George M. Boles, George C. Rooding, Louis Einstein, H. H. Welsh, O. J. Woodward, James Gallagher, Charles W. Barrett, A. M. Drew, Frank Hein, and many other citizens also have expressed themselves favorably on both proposed bond issues, and were emphatic in their views.

### BASEBALL GAMES IN COAST LEAGUE

Oakland and San Francisco Scored

Heavily From Tigers and Webbeet.

OAKLAND, Oct. 27.—This was Oakland's slugging day and they used up two of Tacoma's pitchers. Fitzgerald lasted four innings, then Lynch was put in and later gave way to Eagan. Smith for Oakland was touched up in two innings. Score: R. H. E. Tacoma 10 10 3. Oakland 13 15 3.

Batteries—Fitzgerald, Lynch, Eagan and Hogan; Smith and Byrnes. Umpire—Sullivan.

At San Francisco—Players today fattened their batting averages at the expense of Pitcher Gates of Portland. In the third inning six hits produced seven runs and five more hits in the sixth inning gave four runs. The game was too one-sided to be interesting. Score: R. H. E. Portland 10 10 1. San Francisco 13 16 0.

Batteries—Cates and Sues; Wheeler and Wilson. Umpire—Davis.

At Los Angeles—Gray was invincible today and holding Seattle down to three scattered singles, shut them out. The locals batted Vickers hard in the fourth inning, scoring three runs from three singles and a double. The remainder of the game Vickers was effective and allowed but seven hits in all. Score: R. H. E. Los Angeles 0 0 0. Seattle 3 7 1.

Batteries—Gray and Eager; Vickers and Hall. Umpire—Perrine.

Mastic Roofing is not paper roofing.

## .. SOCIETY ..

Mrs. J. I. Munn and Mrs. G. R. Lovely of Fowler were hostesses last night at a delightful dinner given at their home near Oleander in honor of Mrs. Stephen Scott, of Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Munn of Mississippi, who have been visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Munn for the past month. Decorations of roses and ivy made the dinner table very attractive and the lighting was from candelabra, the candles being shaded in delicate blue.

At the table were Mr. and Mrs. Will Munn, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Harris, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Munn, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Church, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Barrows, Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Riggs Church, Mrs. Stephen Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Munn, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lovely, John Lovely, Grace Lovely, Herman Munn, Vance Munn and Charles Munn. After dinner there were games and music, several of the guests contributing delightful musical numbers.

Mrs. George Beveridge went to San Francisco yesterday for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Patterson are expecting a visit today from the former's cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Patterson of Oakland.

Misses Jack and Henrietta Foote are to entertain this afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Foote, on Ventura avenue.

Out of respect of Mrs. John Austin, who lost her father recently, the Alpha Whist club held no session yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Argall, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. W. Wilbur for the past week, returned yesterday to her home in Berkeley.

The attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray on Mildreda avenue welcomed a party of dinner guests last night. Mrs. John D. Gray presiding as the gracious hostess dispensed hospitality with her accustomed generosity. The dinner table was charming in its yellow decorations of beautiful golden chrysanthemums arranged in brass bowls. The place cards were gorgeous souvenir postals in yellow tied with bows of yellow satin ribbon. It was not told as a fact, but its a safe guess that the diners played a few games of cards during the evening. Enjoying the affair were Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Burdick, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoxie, Mrs. Frank Gray, Mrs. DeWitt Gray, B. F. Shepherd, Sr., and Norris Crocker.

A small son arrived yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walrand, and is receiving much attention from interested relatives.

Miss Kate Daly entertained a few friends informally last night at her home on M street.

The ladies of the Kaffee Klatsch enjoyed a particularly pleasant afternoon yesterday with Mrs. A. D. Ewing. Miss Theresa Wilbur, state secretary of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Florence Hammond, the local secretary, were both present and took of the association work in different parts of the state—how it is carried on and the results—all most entertainingly told. It was an exceedingly pleasant deviation from the usual sewing and chatting of this congenial little band and was thoroughly delightful. Mrs. Schmidt of Firebaugh, who is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Chase Sayre, was another visitor.

Mrs. B. G. McDougall entertained the Friday Afternoon Card club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Emory Donahoo scored highest and won the pretty cup and saucer prize. Mrs. Pritchett of Nashville, Tenn., was a visitor.

The Friday Study club spent a social afternoon yesterday at the home of Mrs. V. I. Willis, who, with her daughter, Mrs. Brain, and Mrs. Hobbs, were the hostesses for the afternoon. Each one

invited was asked to bring some story about a California bird and in the telling of them quite a bit of useful and interesting information was gathered—thereby complying with the request from the recently organized Audubon society that each club give some thought to the bird study. Later on the hostess announced that they would sit down to a New England tea, which immediately suggested all sorts of old fashioned edibles, but whether it would be pork and beans or something equally appetizing was a question. What they really did have was the best sort of home made bread, doughnuts, pumpkin pie, baked apples and all the dainty accessories. Needless to say the New England tea was voted a delightful kind of a party. The guests' places were marked by post cards decorated with a brilliantly colored flight of birds and every member was present with an added guest or two. Mrs. Brynara of Beaumont, a guest of Mrs. B. A. Fassett, and Miss Stokes, of San Francisco who is visiting Mrs. H. A. Scholz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short have gone to San Francisco to be gone until the middle of next week.

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Apples, Mountain, 8 lbs.	25c
Soap, Valley Queen, 8 lbs.	25c
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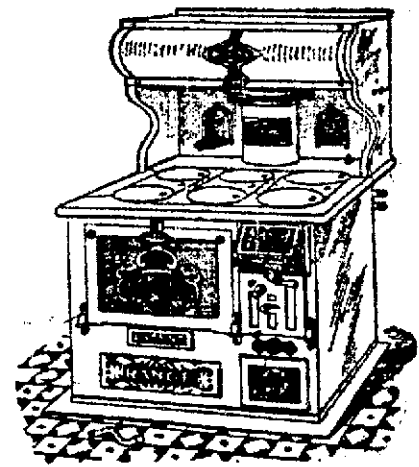
Men's \$8.00 Suits	\$4.96	3-pound Pillows	49c	Girls' \$1.25 Shoes, pair	79c	Ladies' Black Hose, pair	7c
Men's \$10.00 Suits	\$6.19	Large Size Comforters	89c	Misses' \$1.50 Shoes, pair	98c	Children's Black Hose, pair	7c
Men's \$12.00 Suits	\$8.65	Sheet Blankets	49c	Ladies' \$1.50 Shoes, pair	98c	Infants' 25c Wool Hose, 2 pairs	25c
Men's \$1.50 Pants	98c	Full Size Sheets	49c	Ladies' \$2.00 Vici Kid and extension Sole Shoes, pair	\$1.39	Children's Union Suits	19c
Men's \$2.50 Pants	\$1.49	9-4 Sheet, yard	18c	Men's \$2 Calf Shoes, pair	\$1.35	Ladies' Fleece lined Underwear	23c
Men's \$3.00 Pants	\$1.98	White Wool Blankets	\$1.98	Men's \$2.50 Vici Kid Shoes, pair	\$1.79	Ladies' Wool Underwear	73c
Men's \$5.00 Pants	\$2.98	15-00 Comforters	98c	Men's \$2.50 Working Shoes, pair	\$1.98	Men's Wool Underwear	75c
Men's Heavy Underwear	39c	10c Outing Flannel, yd	7 1/2c	Patent Leather Sallors, French and short back	69c	No. 5 Ribbon, yard	3c
Men's Negligee Shirts	39c	10c Dress Gingham, yd	7 1/2c	\$2.50 and \$3.00 Ladies' Hats		No. 40 Ribbon, yard	10c
Men's Hose, pair	7c	Red Table Linen, yd	19c	\$5.00 Ladies' Hats	\$1.69	Guaranteed Rings	50c
Men's Ties	5c	Bleached Table Linen, yd	25c	Latest Style 50c Caps	\$2.49	Gold Rings	\$1.50
Men's Overalls	50c	26-inch Cashmere, yd	25c	Latest Style 75c Caps	50c	\$5.00 Chains	\$2.00
Rubber Collars	15c	75c Alpaca and Albatross, yd	49c	Ladies' Waists	50c	12 Jewel Watches	\$8.85
Lincoln Collars, 3 for	25c	China Silk, yd	25c	\$6.00 Silk Waists	\$4.29	Cuff Buttons	25c
\$1.50 Silk Mufflers	75c	Wide White China Silk, yd	38c	\$3.00 Wool Waists	\$1.89	Kirk's Best Soap, 7 cakes	25c
Men's \$1.50 Hats	98c	Black Taffeta Silk, yd	38c	\$5.00 Accordion Pleated Skirts	\$3.69	Cuticura Soap	19c
Men's \$2.50 Hats	\$1.49	Manchester Chambray, yd	8 1/2c			50c Hose Supporters	25c
Window Shades	25c	Cheeked Nainsook, yd	5c				
Lace Curtains, a pair	39c	Wool Elderdown, yard	25c				
\$1.00 Lace Curtains, a pair	69c	Infants' Soft Soles, pair	19c				
Brass Curtain Rods	8c	Infants' Hard Soles, pair	23c				
25c Cottage Rods, 2 for	25c	Children's Spring Heels, pair	50c				
		Girls' \$1.00 Shoes, pair	68c				



## "THE OLD SCRATCH."

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One of the familiar names of his satanic majesty is, "The Old Scratch." It is undoubtedly due to the fact that scratching is so disagreeable that people thought if no worse than the evil one. A scalp full of dandruff keeps one scratching all the time; not only disagreeable, but considered very inelegant in polite society—as it should be—because one ought to keep the scalp so clean that it would not itch. To cure the scalp of dandruff effectively, use Newbro's Herpicide. It kills the germ that creates the dandruff which is preliminary to falling hair, and, finally, baldness. No other hair preparation kills the dandruff germ. Herpicide also is a very delightful and effective hair-dressing. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Geo. H. Monroe, Special Agent.



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S. and W. Asparagus, large can ..... 27c  
Silk Soap, 7 bars ..... 25c  
Oregon Cream Cheese lb 16c  
Sliced Boiled Ham, lb... 23c  
Grape Nuts, pkg. .... 12c  
Mountain Apples, 40 lb. box ..... 75c

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## THERE IS NO JUST EXCUSE

Rev. Bulgin Says Man Must Be a Christian or Suffer.

Evangelist Discusses Positions Taken By Persons Who Do Not Care to Follow Christ.

"There is no just excuse for a man not being a Christian," said Rev. E. J. Bulgin last night in commencing in the big tent his sermon on some reasons men give for not being Christians weighed and examined in the light of God's word. "God demands that every man be a Christian or suffer the pain of eternal death for the failure. To attempt to justify one's self for not being in the path of God is to take issue with God, for God declares that one sin is enough to condemn a soul to death."

The preacher laid down four propositions as the basis of his discourse. First, every excuse for sin charges God with the blame. Second, there can be no sin where there is a justifiable excuse for not doing right. Third, to make excuse is to annul God's judgment that the sinner may appear to be right. Fourth, God condemns sin; man's excuse condemns God.

Rev. Bulgin spoke of excuses given him by men in Fresno. "Men tell me they cannot be Christians because of business," said the preacher. "Man's business is to live for God. This life is preparatory for eternity. When a man's business prevents him from being a Christian there is something wrong in his business."

"Then I am told, 'I am just as good as some of your Christians.' That won't help you. You deal with God, not members of the church. That argument shows the person making it to be a hypocrite. There are persons in the church not Christians, doubtless, there was also one Judas in the twelve disciples."

"I am not willing to confess Christ publicly," I have been told. Christ demands a confession. If he wants to be saved, man must believe in his heart and with his mouth confess.

"Another excuse is intellectual difficulties. It is not intellectual doubts but it is, says that keep persons out of the church. God's communication with man is through the heart. The condition of knowing God's will is willingness to do God's will. With Christ in the heart there are no intellectual doubts in existence. It is sin that keeps man from Christ."

"I have been told, 'I can't give up the pleasures of the world.' I would not ask you to give up your pleasures, but ask you to love something better. Love is the fulfilling of the law. If you love it is easy to do God's will. The Bible says follow Christ, who goes before you leading you to the way of life."

Yesterday afternoon there were services in the tent. Rev. A. P. Brown of the Baptist church presided. Rev. H. W. Beck of the First Methodist church spoke on "What Hinders Our Prayers?" for ten minutes. Rev. Boyd of the First Presbyterian church followed with a talk on "The Holy Spirit, Who Is He?"

Rev. Gillespie of the United Presbyterian church discussed, "The Higher Life, What Is It and How Obtained?" Rev. J. N. Kenny talked forcibly upon "Assurance." Rev. Bulgin closed the services with a talk in which he gathered up the gist of what the other speakers had said. The service was a good one and well attended.

There will be no services in the tent today. On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev. Bulgin will lecture on "The Duty of Christ" and at 7:30 o'clock he will preach on "Moral Character, or God's measure of a Man."

## SWARTZ'S PLAN IS ACCEPTED

Directors Will Hasten Work on Parental School.

The plans of A. C. Swartz for the parental school building were last evening accepted by the Board of Education, with certain conditions. These are that the architect make a few trifling changes, such as enlarging a few windows and cutting out partitions, and give a guarantee that the building may be erected for \$9000.

Plans had been submitted by two other architects, McDougall Brothers and C. N. Kirby, but that of Swartz was the only one that came within range of what the directors wanted. The reason for the erection of the building is passing fast, and the need is such that the board wished to advance the work as rapidly as possible. A considerable time was taken up in considering the various details of the building and also the matter of location. The letter went over until the regular meeting, November 7th.

The discussion of the board indicated that it would be the policy hereafter to erect any school buildings of more than two stories in height. President Thompson stated that the city of Portland has erected a number of very expensive buildings there all of one story. It is felt that the safety of the pupils demands this wherever it is possible to get room enough.

It is the hope of Superintendent McLane, that, if the plans for the parental school proceed rapidly from this on, the new building may be occupied on February 1st. The present location of the transient school is very unsatisfactory.

Only a few other matters were considered by the board at this adjourned meeting. The bid of the Zapp Transfer company to supply the department with coal, wood and oil, was accepted. Permission was given to the Parlor Lecture club, to have Mrs. S. L. Wiley give a lecture on the Portland fair in the auditorium of the Grammar school. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the school department.

**Miss Roosevelt's Journey.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, who arrived here last after her trip across the continent, left for Washington over the Pennsylvania railroad from Jersey City at 11:16 a. m.

**Mogul's Boiler Blew Up.**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 27.—A big mogul engine of an eastbound Southern Pacific freight train blew up early this morning two miles east of Yuma, Arizona, and Engineer J. W. McClain and Fireman R. C. Christensen were instantly killed. No one else was hurt. The engine was completely demolished. The cause of the explosion was low water in the boiler.

## ANNIVERSARY MARKED BY FEAST

Members of A. O. U. W. Hear of Success Of the Order.

Last night the Workmen celebrated the thirty-seventh anniversary of the order with a grand entertainment and banquet in their hall, to which was invited the families and friends of the Workmen and Martha lodge, Degree of Honor, the auxiliary of the order. Ray W. Baker was master of ceremonies for the evening and opened the program with a brief account of the beginning of the order. It was organized thirty-seven years ago in Meadville, Penn., starting with a few working men who held informal meetings at each other's homes. After a short time one of the little circle died and left a widow and several small children with no means of support and thus began the idea of a beneficiary fund. From this small beginning the order grew until now there are over half a million members in the United States and 10,000 members in California alone. It was the first beneficiary fraternal insurance organization in the United States, all the other fraternal organizations adding the insurance benefits later. Since its organization the order has paid \$145,000,000 in death claims. Over \$100,000 of this amount has been paid in Fresno since the organization of the order here.

Following Baker's short address came the program, which was as follows: Piano solo, A. J. Patterson; paper, Past Grand Master Workman, J. M. Collins; song, Miss Carpenter; recitation, Miss Williams; piano solo, Miss Ora Travers; paper, Grand Chief of Honor Mrs. Taylor Albini; song, Walter Jarvis; song, Jack Carpenter. The entertainment concluded with an exhibition of stereopticon views. Then came the banquet, to which nearly a hundred sat down and the feasting lasted until midnight. A visit is expected today from Supreme Grand Councillor Tate, who is on a tour of inspection of the California lodges.

**Rathbone Sisters.**  
The Rathbone social given by the Rathbone Sisters in K. of P. hall last night was a brilliant success. The ladies worked untiringly to make the affair an enjoyable one and their efforts were generously rewarded by the large attendance. At the entrance to the hall a large grinning Jack O'lantern smiled a welcome, while all about the hall were more Jack O'lanterns advantageously placed and garlands of beautiful autumn leaves hung in graceful festoons from the central chandelier to the corners of the room. There was a short musical program first as follows: Piano solo, Miss Bertha Kellogg; vocal solo, Nadine Madsen; recitation, Florence Small; vocal solo, Miss Madsen; vocal solo, Dr. Wolf; piano solo, Miss Madsen. Then the audience was entertained with a ghost dance, in which the following participated: Mesdames Webb, Nelson, Sherman, Misses Ewing, Kline, Hartman and Madsen; Messrs. Jones, Spind, Lazarus, Dougherty, Nelson, Cummings and O'Brien. A prize was given to the gentlemen who guessed his partner correctly and also prizes were given in a peanut hunt and an apple contest, which were a part of the evening's fun. In conclusion, the company sat down to a feast of pumpkin pie, apples, nuts and all the usual Halloween good things.

The Knights of Pythias dispensed with business last night in order to join in the merry-making of the evening.

**Draft on Tennessee Bank.**  
A man doing sixty days in jail for disturbing the peace of Coalinga now has another charge to worry him. Constable Atkinson of Coalinga has found that the man, whose name is E. N. Day, got \$25 on a draft he presented to Jack Shields of the oil town. The draft was on the First National bank of Bristol, Tenn. After Day was in jail on the disturbing the peace charge Shields' draft was returned to him from Tennessee with the information that E. N. Day not only had no money there, but that he never had had. Day will be prosecuted for getting money under false pretenses.

**Lawyer Patrick's Last Hope.**  
ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The court of appeals today denied the motion for a re-argument of the appeal of Albert T. Patrick from conviction of murder in the first degree and sentence of death for the killing in 1900 of William M. Rice, an aged millionaire, in New York city. The motion was made October 2 by former United States Senator David B. Hill.

**TOKIO, Oct. 27, 5:30 p. m.**—The proposed visit of Prince Arthur of Connaught to this city, gives intense satisfaction to all classes here.

## WALLS FELL ON FIREMEN

Harrowing Experiences in San Francisco.

Central Canneries Company Building Was Destroyed—No Loss of Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—Pinned under the fallen wall of a burning building for from one to four hours, but finally rescued alive, was the experience of four firemen early this morning. The fire, which started from an unknown cause in the establishment of the Central Canneries company, on the corner of North Point and Mason streets, completely destroyed the big two-story frame structure occupied by the corporation and did great damage to the adjoining works of the California Ore Testing company. The loss is estimated at about \$100,000 well covered by insurance.

The first call for the firemen was quickly followed by a general alarm, which brought most of the department to the scene. Nearly all of the adjacent buildings being of wood, a serious conflagration seemed imminent, and the force was urged to its utmost in subduing the flames.

Suddenly, while four of the firemen were inside the burning building, one of its walls collapsed and buried them under a mass of burning debris. They are: Lieutenant David Harrison of truck No. 2; Jack Erata, truck No. 2; Frank Casanaga, engine No. 5; Harry Wilson, engine No. 5.

Great difficulty was experienced in extricating the men from their perilous position. Lieutenant Harrison, who lay prostrate with a heavy iron girder across his limbs, did not lose consciousness, but directed the work of the rescuers. The men had to cut through the girder with steel saws before his release could be effected. All the imprisoned men sustained serious but not fatal injuries. Several other firemen were in perilous positions, and one or two were slightly hurt.

None of the men who were temporarily buried beneath the ruins will be able to resume their duties for some time. Casanaga and Wilson are at the Harbor Emergency hospital, suffering from internal injuries which some of the attendants fear may prove fatal. Harrison is at the Pacific hospital with a crushed leg that may have to be amputated and Arata is at the Central Emergency hospital, undergoing treatment for a number of lacerated wounds of the head and face. Harrison is a son-in-law of Battalion Chief McCluskey, who led in the efforts for his rescue.

**Collins Alleges Prejudice.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—George D. Collins, the attorney accused of perjury, appeared today before Superior Judge Lennon and asked that his case be transferred from the department president over by Judge Lowlor, who, he alleged, was prejudiced against him. The district attorney then requested that Collins' bail be in increased to \$40,000. The court took the matter under advisement.

**Russian Vessels at Manila.**  
MANILA, Oct. 27.—The Russian warships interred here will leave tomorrow, for Saigon, French Indo-China, en route for Krossadt. Impressive memorial services were held here today on the occasion of the re-interment of the bodies of the Russian sailors who died of wounds received during the battle of the Sea of Japan.

**Sent False Fire Alarms.**  
SAN JOSE, Oct. 27.—Leo Nickerson, formerly a member of the local fire department, was found guilty by Judge Welch in the Superior court today of having turned in false fire alarms. The crime is a felony. He will be sentenced next Monday.

**Steamer Umatilla In Collision.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—The steam Umatilla, which left today for Alaska, ran into the steam schooner Aurelia near Goat Island. The schooner was so badly injured that she was taken to a dry dock for repairs. The Umatilla proceeded on her voyage.

**LISBON, Portugal, Oct. 27.**—President Loubet arrived from Spain today and met with an enthusiastic reception.

## GROVER CLEVELAND AND MORTON PARTY EN ROUTE WEST

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland and his party reached Chicago at 7:40 a. m. today in a private car over the Pennsylvania lines. Carriages were taken to the Stratford hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland were accompanied by Paul Morton, Miss Pauline Morton, Dr. J. D. Bryant of New York and Master Wirt Morton. The party will leave for Nebraska at 5 o'clock. The occasion of Cleveland's visit to Nebraska is the unveiling at Nebraska City of a monument erected in honor of J. Sterling Morton, father of Paul and Joy Morton.

## JUMPED TO DEATH TO AVOID ARREST ON SERIOUS CHARGE

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Leaping headlong four stories to the street to evade arrest on a charge of conspiracy and fraud, Adolph Perlbomer, who conducted a real estate and loan business, was dashed to death today on the pavement, dying instantly. The tragedy took place within a square of the city hall and was witnessed by scores of persons. When the police appeared with the warrants, Perlbomer hurled himself through the plate glass window.

## NEW TREATY WITH CHINA

Action of Congress Awaited By Orientals.

They Want Modification of the Exclusion Law Before Coming to Terms.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—It is the understanding that the efforts at treaty making between the United States and China will await the action of congress in the matter of amending the Chinese exclusion act, in accordance with an expected recommendation of President Roosevelt in his next annual message. So far there has been utter failure on the part of the two governments to get together on a treaty.

Soon after China brought the treaty of 1894 to an end, on the 8th of December last, she presented the draft of a new treaty to the state department. This was turned over to the department of commerce and labor, which has jurisdiction of immigration matters. When this department concluded with the treaty it was returned to the state department for transmission to China. China utterly rejected the instrument in its modified form. Since that time no further steps have been taken in the matter, although the understanding here is that China is preparing a new draft.

That much has been done to lessen the rigor of the exclusion act is accordance with the expressed wishes of President Roosevelt is manifest by the increased number of Chinese coming to the United States. The record shows that in September twenty-three Chinese were admitted and but eleven rejected. In September of last year the number admitted was 128 and the rejections eighty-five. This, it is said, is the result of lessening the tension at the ports of entry. Since the executive order was issued inspectors charged with enforcing the Chinese exclusion law give more weight to what a Chinaman says in making his demand for admission.

A recent modification of the regulations makes, it is declared, an absolute breach in the exclusion wall. The regulation in question required, before it was modified, a bond of \$600, to be furnished by the transportation company for every Chinaman in transit through the country, no laborer to be allowed in transit. This bond has been entirely done away with.

**Floors Collapsed In Building.**  
SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 27.—The sixth floor of the Lowman and Hanford building, a steel structure under course of construction here, collapsed today. Every floor was carried away and tons of cement went crashing into the basement. Roy Campbell and Mike Mimix, workmen employed about the building, were painfully injured. It is supposed the cement floors were too heavy for the supports.

**TOKIO, Oct. 27, 5:30 p. m.**—W. J. Bryan will visit Kogoshima, the birthplace of Vice Admiral Togo and of Field Marshal Oyama, before he leaves Japan.

Valley Queen Soap, 8 bars ..... 25c  
Prepared Mustard in Pint Milk Bottles, each ..... 15c  
Fresh Creamery Butter, 2 lb. squares ..... 65c  
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Good cooking and floor table, cut to suit.  
New Prepared Mince Meat, bulk, lb. .... 12 1-2c  
The quality that made our heavy sales last year.  
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## HOLLANDS' TODAY

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Men's all-wool suits, sold regularly at \$8.00, on sale Saturday ..... \$4.50

**\$12.00 MEN'S SUITS FOR \$7.50**  
Men's all-wool suits, single and double breasted, neat and dressy, a good value at \$12.00, on sale Saturday ..... \$7.50

**\$18.00 MEN'S SUITS FOR \$12.75**  
Men's high grade fancy worsted suits, in a grand variety of styles and patterns. These suits for style, workmanship and fit will excel any \$30.00 made-to-order suit. On sale Saturday ..... \$12.75

**MEN'S OVERCOATS**  
We will save you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on an overcoat. Our overcoats are bright, new and snappy. We have them at \$7.75, \$9.75 and \$11.75.

**SHOES**  
All \$2.50 men's and ladies' shoes, on sale Saturday at ..... \$1.85

**DRY GOODS**  
Saturday will be a lively day in our Dry Goods Department. This department is under new management. We offer great bargains in Dress Goods, Silks, Blankets, Comforters, Lace Curtains, Bedspreads, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery, Etc. See our windows.

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Buy your new fall supply of shirts today and save 20 cents on every one—but don't forget this sale is for today only.

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Don't Fail to Vote for the Bonds, Tuesday, Oct. 31st.

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Today for Men's Suits  
\$9.65  
Notice the window display of them in the Mariposa street store: a collection of suits that can not be matched anywhere else under \$15; the noblest of styles; elegant materials; the long double breasted sack; the new three button single breasted sack; every fashion wrinkle is there; every good feature is introduced in these suits. We are making a special feature of them today; the man who gets one will long remember his good fortune. There will never be a day when the suit he gets here won't please him.

**Special Saturday Sales**  
**MEN'S UNDERWEAR, 29c**  
An odd lot of heavy camel's hair shirts and drawers; good for the coming cold weather; nearly all sizes on hand.  
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**NEWS NOTES OF VISALIA**

**Jury Gives Pierce \$109 of the \$150 He Asked for.**  
**Trustees Are Face to Face With Sewer Problem—Will Send a Man After an Expert.**

VISALIA, Oct. 27.—The jury in the case of P. Pierce against Altes, Matrain and Gibson, brought in a verdict this afternoon in the justice court in favor of plaintiff in the sum of \$109. The action was brought to recover the sum of \$195 alleged to be due Pierce from Altes as the agent of the other two defendants for work performed at the Atwell mill. Attorney E. C. Farnsworth completed his argument this morning and was followed by H. T. Miller for the plaintiff. It is probable that an appeal will be taken to the Superior court.

At the meeting of the city trustees last night, Trustee S. J. Scott was appointed to go to Fresno to consult with an expert regarding the sewer. It is likely that an expert will be brought here to look over the ground. At the meeting of Demarcus encampment, I. O. O. F., last night, the royal purple degree was conferred upon D. B. Florida.

The following committee has been appointed by J. W. Fovel, president of Visalia parlor, Native Sons, to arrange for the coming annual masquerade ball in December: A. W. Grant, chairman; Fred Huffaker, M. J. Coates, Simon Levy and B. B. Dudley.

At the meeting of Martha Washington chapter, Order of Eastern Star, to night, several candidates were initiated. After the lodge ceremony an adjournment was taken to the banquet room of the Woodmen hall where a Spanish banquet was partaken of.

Company E gave a dancing party at the Armory tonight. There was a good sized crowd in attendance and the affair was an enjoyable one. The music was provided by Will Howard, Miss Ethel Parr and John Weinert.

The Visalia band will give its final concert of the season in the courthouse park on Sunday, November 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bodden returned this morning from a visit of several days at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nicholson, who have been visiting here for several days, spent today at Fresno.

Attorney M. E. Power returned this morning from Los Angeles, where he had been on legal business.

A. J. Newberry, of Porterville, was here this morning from Seabright, Nevada, where he has been to look after his mining interests.

Mrs. Frank Noble, Mrs. E. L. Meyer and Mrs. Walter Collins were visiting at Fresno this morning.

Attorney E. O. Larkins was up at Fresno this morning on legal business. Miss Wattle Miller is here from Berkeley as the guest of relatives.

**PRICES CURRENT**

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Extreme fluctuations marked trading in the wheat pit. The volume of business was of large proportions. As a result of an advance of 1 1/2d to 1 3/4d in the price of wheat at Liverpool, the market here opened strong with May up a shade to 1/2c at 91 1/2c to 92 1/2c. December opened unchanged to 1/2c higher at 89 1/2c to 90c.

Demand was extremely active. Commission houses had come into possession of an almost unlimited number of buying orders over night. The orders had apparently been placed in large part by foreigners and by that part of the American public which is quick to enter the market when an occasion like the present develops. The sharp advance, however, brought out realizing sales of a wholesale kind.

Toward the end of the first half hour the market, yielding to continuous profit taking, some reaction occurred. Offerings then seemed to suddenly cease and prices again started upward. A cablegram from a prominent banker in London claiming that all business in Russia had been suspended owing to strike disorders caused a fresh outburst of buying. The prices of the May delivery jumped to 92 3/4c, while December went up to 90 3/4c.

Throughout the remainder of the session the market was decidedly nervous, fluctuations in prices being 1/4 to 1/2c between trades. During the last half hour the market became notably depressed in consequence of general profit taking. Prices sank lower and lower until May had touched 90 1/4c and December 88 3/4c. The market closed weak with May at 90 3/4c, a net loss of 1/2c. The December option closed 1/2c lower at 88c.

General liquidation caused weakness in the corn pit. December closed 1/2c off at 45 1/2c.

The situation in oats was similar to that in the corn market. December closed 1/2c lower at 30 1/2c.

Provisions were a trifle easier on selling credited to local packers. At the close January pork was off 5 3/4c; lard was down 2 1/2c and ribs were 5c lower.

**Coast Grain Prices.**  
San Francisco—Wheat easier, December \$1.42 bid; \$1.43 asked; May, \$1.47 1/2. Barley, easier—December, \$1.18; May, \$1.21 1/2.  
Corn—Large yellow, \$1.42 1/2 to \$1.45. Bran—\$20 to \$20.50.  
**Dried Fruit Market.**  
Prunes are in rather better demand on spot, but so far, purchases are of small lots to fill immediate needs. Quotations range from 4 1/2 to 7 1/2c, according to grade.  
Apricots are firm. Choice are quoted at 8 1/2 to 9c; extra choice, 9 1/2 to 10c; and fancy, 10 to 10 1/2c.  
Peaches are in light supply and with a moderate demand the market rules firm. Extra choice are quoted at 10 and fancy, 10 1/2 to 11c.  
Raisins are in light demand on spot. Loose Muscates are quoted at 5 1/2 to 7 1/2c; seeded raisins at 5 1/4 to 8 1/2c and London layers at \$1.20 to \$1.25.  
**Butter, Cheese and Eggs.**  
San Francisco—Butter—Fancy Creamery, 29c; seconds, 24c.  
Cheese—Eastern, 15 1/2 to 16c; Young America, 12 1/2 to 14c; Western, 14 to 14 1/2c.  
Eggs—Ranch, 40 to 42c; Eastern, 20c.

**CHINAMAN IS GUILTY**

**This the Verdict of Armona Jury in Lottery Case.**  
**Twelve Men Chosen to Try Ah Sing, Fan-Tan Player—**  
**—News Notes of Kings County.**

HANFORD, Oct. 27.—A Chinese lottery case came up for trial yesterday morning in Justice Smith's court at Armona. Considerable time was spent in securing a jury. When the case was once commenced it did not take long to put it through and the verdict of the jury found the prisoner guilty as charged. Sentence will be passed on November 4th.

This is the case in which Sheriff Buckner, disguised as a rancher, visited the Chinese gambling joints and after purchasing lottery tickets and thus securing proof against the celestials, raided the dens with his posse. Attorney McNamara representing the defendant will move for a new trial and if it is denied will appeal the case.

The case of the People against Ah Sing, the fan tan player, came up for trial in Justice Randall's court today. The jury before whom the case will be tried is composed of the following: Thomas Gordon, C. W. Hammond, H. H. Lowe, Scott Bloyd, M. Homen, G. Howell, B. Hampshire, B. A. Jones, G. A. Roberts, M. A. Covert, W. E. Hill and W. H. Dids.

J. N. White has commenced proceedings in Justice Randall's court to recover commissions of \$175 which he alleges are due him in transaction made for A. and L. Leoni.

Simoon Gould was today granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from his wife, Mary Frances Gould, on the grounds of extreme cruelty.

The directors of the Central California fair have the books and accounts all straightened out and Secretary Dunham and Assistant H. L. Conklin are ready to pay all premiums. Premium winners can receive their money by calling at the office in the Farmers' and Merchants bank building.

Judge M. L. Short will go to Modesto tomorrow, where he will join his decision in the famous water case entitled Stevenson against The San Joaquin and Kings River Canal company.

Miss Maud Runcan has resigned her position as stenographer in a local office and will shortly return to her home in Exeter.

C. N. Callon left for San Francisco this morning and about November 1st will return, bringing with him his wife, who after a serious illness, is now convalescent.

The Santa Fe is making arrangements to fill the street in the rear of their depot with Klondike gravel and oil, which mixture is a very good substitute for asphalt.

O. C. McFarland who has been looking after business interests in Hanford, returned to San Jose last evening.

Clarence Fox has sold his lease and interest in a ranch near Hanford and has accepted a position in town.

Roy Walker, who was arrested yesterday, charged by H. L. Jones with battery, pleaded not guilty today, before Justice Randall.

**SELMA HAPPENINGS**

Entertainment for Public Library's Benefit to be Given.

SELMA, Oct. 27.—J. Frank Fouché, dramatic artist and impersonator, will give an entertainment tomorrow (Saturday) evening at the Masonic hall, for the benefit of the Selma public library. Fouché comes highly recommended. The proceeds will be used in furnishing the Carnegie library building now almost completed.

T. W. James and family took their departure on Wednesday for their former home in Kansas. They were accompanied by Mrs. Joe Allen, who will visit relatives and friends in that state for several weeks.

Mrs. James Bewley and children have returned from San Francisco, where they had spent several months. Bewley still has employment at the metropolis and will remain indefinitely.

Dr. F. H. Williams has purchased the D. S. Snodgrass two lots opposite the Carnegie library building on High street and will erect a residence at once. The ground is now being leveled preparatory to starting the building.

J. M. Williams came up from El Monte Wednesday evening to look after property interests here for a week. He will leave tomorrow in company with S. L. and Arthur Heisinger for Mendota on a three days' business trip.

Turner and John Elder, former Selma residents, came down from Bakersfield yesterday on a business run.

Mrs. M. B. Felton, delegate to the W. C. T. U. state convention at Los Angeles, left for the southern metropolis Wednesday evening, accompanied by Mrs. Cartwright, a delegate from Berkeley whom she had been entertaining at her home.

E. B. Street, sheriff of Modoc county, was in town the first of the week, a guest at the home of his uncle, William Dodson. He returned from here to Sacramento, intending to go thence to Oregon.

J. N. Sprouse of Fresno was in town Thursday meeting old acquaintances.

Mrs. Cleveland and children came in from Oakland Thursday evening for a stay of a week or more.

Sam Bear returned this week from Portland after an absence of twenty days. He reports a pleasant time, but a little too much rain in the northern country.

George Fred Otis returned to his home at Lorin Thursday, having spent a couple of days here on business looking after property interests for himself and father.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will give a Halloween social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Vincent next Tuesday evening.

**Orphan Girls Poisoned.**  
BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 27.—Seven-year-old girls, whose ages ran from 2 to 6 years, at the St. Joseph's orphan asylum in this city, were taken suddenly ill last night. Three of them died within three hours and at an autopsy held today under the auspices of the state board of health, it was determined that death was due to poisoning. The cause has not appeared.

**DANGER OF EPIDEMIC**

**Madera Health Officer Finds Scarlet Fever in School.**  
**One Child With Malady Associated With Children—**  
**The Match Factory Destroyed.**

MADERA, Oct. 27.—Two cases of scarlet fever have been discovered among school children by Health Officer M. R. Buzin. A daughter of Mrs. Darby and a daughter of Mrs. Merrill are ill. Mrs. Darby's daughter has been mingling with children on the school grounds. The malady is in a very mild form.

The health officer has warned the parents of children to keep a careful watch and on the appearance of symptoms notify a physician. All the usual precautions have been taken and it is believed there will be no epidemic.

The Madera match factory burned down yesterday. A house occupied by M. Silva and his family adjoining the factory was also destroyed.

The origin of the fire is being sought, but no one has any information to impart concerning it. The building and plant were owned by R. L. Hargrove and C. M. Petty. The loss is about \$200.

This afternoon the body of Mary C. Brunhouse was brought from Fine Gold by Thomas H. Smith and Rob Jay. The woman was the school teacher at Fine Gold. She died from enteritis on last Wednesday.

There will be a good game of baseball here on Sunday. The Madera Star Juniors will line up against the Sugar Pine Swamper at 1:30 o'clock. The boys are expecting good ball of the kind they play. A week from Sunday the Stars will meet the Fresno Juniors.

Monroe Goldstein and his wife are visiting here. Goldstein is attending to business in connection with his attempt to break his father's will.

Edward Hahn is back from the Yosemite valley.

C. A. Dunn and his wife have been visiting in Fresno.

Robert Quinsel was in town today from Firebaugh.

L. N. Fincher and wife of Fresno are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. B. High.

**NEW VACATION TRIP**

Summer Excursion Rates.  
Effective May 1st, the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe lines will sell round trip through tickets to points on the scenic North Shore at reduced rates. Fresno to Camp Taylor and return, \$9.05; Pt. Reyes, \$9.40; Camp Meeker, Montano Rio and the Russian River, \$10.00; Duncan's Mills, \$11.30; Casadero Big Trees, \$11.65. Cottage and camp sites, hotels, boarding houses and mineral springs, hunting, fishing and camping trips to the North Coast. Full information in illustrated folders, "Summer Outings," free on application to local ticket agent or by mail to Geo. W. Heintz, Mutual Life Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Greetings, Fellow Christians!  
Regardless of denominations. There are to be held two bible study meetings for the promotion of Christian knowledge, and not to build up another sect, of which, as all agree, there are already too many. These lectures or discourses, are to be held in St. Andrew's Hall, 401 E. Broadway, over postoffice, on the evenings of October 25th and 26th. By Pilgrim John Harrison, on the subject of the "Millennium, or Christ's Thousand Year Reign and Its Object." All are cordially invited to attend. No collections. Free tracts.

Notice to Hunters.  
All persons hunting or trespassing on Section 20, T. 14, R. 22, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. M. H. Smith, P. C. Foutz, J. Shepherd, P. Freeman, A. Butler, D. Radley and M. L. Dean.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York 40, Boston 36, Philadelphia 38, Washington 44, Chicago 46, Minneapolis 32, Cincinnati 46, St. Louis 48.

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**Trains Leave Fresno for Points North**  
AS FOLLOWS:  
12:55 a. m.—Santa Fe for Merced Stockton, San Francisco and way points.  
2:40 a. m.—The Owl for Tracy, San Francisco.  
5:10 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Merced, Lathrop, Stockton, Sacramento, San Francisco and way points.  
9:55 a. m.—Southern Pacific (Mixed) for Sunday, for Merced and Lathrop.  
8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Mendota, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose, and coast points.  
10:35 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Stockton, Sacramento, San Francisco and way points; connects for San Jose and coast points.  
11:55 a. m.—Overland for Merced, as Francisco, Stockton, Sacramento; all points East and North.  
10:55 a. m.—Santa Fe for Merced, Stockton, San Francisco and way points.  
5:05 p. m.—Santa Fe (Limited) for Merced, Stockton and San Francisco.  
**TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS NORTH AS FOLLOWS:**  
2:15 a. m.—Santa Fe—Overland from San Francisco, Stockton and way stations. Fresno sleeper set out.  
3:00 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast points.  
2:40 p. m.—Santa Fe from San Francisco, Stockton and way points.  
3:13 p. m.—Santa Fe (Limited) from San Francisco and Stockton.  
6:10 p. m.—Southern Pacific from San Francisco, Sacramento and coast points via Lathrop and Alameda.  
11:05 p. m.—The Owl from San Francisco and way points.  
12:40 p. m.—From Mendota and way points.  
2:40 a. m.—Train No. 50, San Francisco and way stations.  
**TRAINS ARRIVE FROM POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:**  
6:30 p. m.—Cal. Limited, daily, Chicago Los Angeles and the East.  
10:45 a. m.—Santa Fe from Bakersfield, East.  
11:35 a. m.—Overland from Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Tulare and way points.  
2:33 a. m.—The Owl from Los Angeles and Bakersfield.  
8:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Visalia, Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.  
10:30 a. m.—Southern Pacific from Bakersfield, Hanford, Visalia.  
12:45 a. m.—Santa Fe from Bakersfield, and Visalia.  
10:50 a. m.—Santa Fe from Corcoran, Visalia and Tulare.  
7:10 p. m.—Santa Fe from Corcoran, Hanford and Lathrop.  
7:12 p. m.—Southern Pacific from Hanford, Visalia, Goshen and way points.  
4:50 p. m.—Santa Fe from Tulare, Visalia and Reedley.  
**TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO FOR POINTS SOUTH AS FOLLOWS:**  
3:25 a. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare, Bakersfield and East.  
7:00 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Sanger, Reedley, and Porterville.  
7:00 a. m.—Santa Fe for Hanford, Corcoran, Visalia and Tulare.  
8:40 a. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia Hanford, Coalinga and Porterville.  
8:40 a. m.—For Mendota and all West Side points, San Jose and Monterey. Day car set out.  
8:30 a. m.—Santa Fe Visalia local, arrives Reedley, 9:23 a. m., Visalia 10:30 a. m., Tulare 1:20 p. m.  
9:35 a. m.—Southern Pacific (mixed) except Sunday, for Clovis and Polasky.  
3:05 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Bakersfield.  
2:23 p. m.—Santa Fe for Visalia, Tulare and Bakersfield.  
2:45 p. m.—Santa Fe for Hanford and Bakersfield.  
6:20 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Visalia Sanger, Reedley and Dinuba.  
6:30 p. m.—Southern Pacific for Los Angeles and all points East.  
2:18 p. m.—Santa Fe (Limited) for Hanford, Bakersfield and the East, Monday and Thursday. Bakersfield daily. Chair car San Francisco to Barstow.  
11:09 p. m.—The Owl for Bakersfield Los Angeles and all points East.



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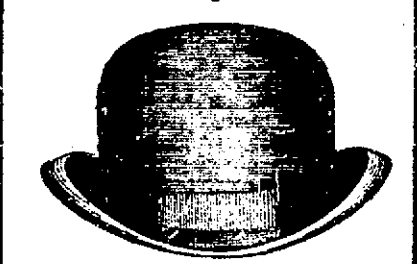


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key X, gal.	
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key XX, gal.	
\$2.50 Kentucky Bourbon Whis-	\$2.00
key XXX, gal.	
\$2.50 Golden Crescent Whiskey,	\$2.50
gal.	
\$4 Del Monte Bourbon Whis-	\$3.10
key, gal.	
\$5 Henninger Bourbon Whis-	\$3.60
key, gal.	
\$5 Old Crow Bourbon Whiskey,	\$3.80
gal.	
\$5.50 Guckenheimer Rye, gal.	\$4.00
\$3 Holland Gin, No. 1, gal.	\$2.50
\$4 Holland Gin, No. 1, gal.	\$3.00
\$2 Cal. Grape Brandy, No. 3,	\$1.80
gal.	
\$3 Cal. Grape Brandy, No. 2,	\$2.25
gal.	
\$4 Cal. Grape Brandy, No. 1,	\$2.60
gal.	
\$5 White Rye, No. 1, gal.	\$2.50
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## WHERE THE BOY IS BOSS

The George Junior Republic and the Remarkable Man Who Created It.

By A. J. Pillsbury.  
NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—I think that I have found no more thought inspiring institution than the George Junior Republic, at Freeville, New York. It is a junior republic as distinguished from a republic of grown-ups and it derives its name from its founder, Mr. W. R. George. The location is beautiful and of a type of beauty I have not found outside of central or western New York. Every child that comes to the place is pleased with that prospect if with no other.

"Now for a faddist and a freak," thought I to myself as I ran up against Mr. George in the bakery. He looked mellow and he talked mellow. It was "My darling" this and "My dear" that to strapping football players and, when one came to him later in the office, he pulled "Daddy's" head back and stroked his chin as the wife of his bosom might have done when she felt particularly kind. Mr. George is everywhere, and shockingly familiarly known as "daddy" and never as anything else. He is just as "daddy" as any of them. If a stalwart comes up to him it is to grab him and see which can make the other kneel down, and, thanks to his fine physique, it is never "daddy" who asks for quarter. He is a superb athlete and man of muscle.

Nevertheless a Strong Man.  
But to come to sit down and talk over the reasons why with Mr. George, one is not long in perceiving that he is not as mellow as he at first appeared. Under a soft exterior there is a keen perception and a robust will. In fact, he is so strong a man that he does not require to surround himself with a halo of dignity in order to retain the real reins of power in his own hands when a master hand needs to hold the lines. Mr. George divides boys in general into three classes. In the first he places those robust wills and won'ts—boys who resist authority, are wilful, disobedient and who come to be set down as incorrigible criminals. He gives this class preference at the Junior Republic because he believes that the material will allow the most to be made out of them. They have started wrong, that is all, and he believes that the republic is the place to restart them right.

Lack Motive Power.  
A second class active are those who are bright enough, but lack motive power. They have neither will nor want of robust character and are inclined to deceive and to steal. He studies these to find some material trend in a right direction—music, literature, art, mechanics, and he develops that trend when found to the last degree with the view of absorbing the attention to the exclusion of baser propensities.

A third class is made up of those who have pronounced characteristics or

talents, but will inevitably become creatures of habit. The reform schools, with their institutional life, are the best places for them and Mr. George will not bother with them. His efforts can produce better results with tougher material and so, as a matter of choice, he selects the so-called hardest cases for his raw material out of which to make citizens of his republic. He wants them at 14 to 17 years of age and wants to keep them under his charge—wants to have them made over to him until twenty-one.

He Knows Boys and Girls.  
Mr. George understands "Boys" from the ground up. He not only remembers that he was once a boy, but he is still a boy, and can put himself in a boy's place under all conceivable conditions. This affords the key to his success. He has mastered his subject.

Mr. George understands girl nature almost, if not quite, as well as he does boys. There are half as many girls as boys in the republic and they have the right of suffrage, too, a right that is conferred upon them by the boys after no end of discussion and deliberation, but with no misgivings as to results. Mr. George believes in the co-reformation of the sexes, but he does not admit sexually perverted girls, although some of the girls sent to him may have been unchaste at some time and under circumstances of great temptation. If they are naturally good girls he takes them even though their feet may have wandered far from the true path.

The Moral Tone.  
The result on the whole has been wholesome for both sexes. They go to school together, meet together on the campus, but have separate dormitories and separate jails. Some scandals there would have been a hundred among the same persons outside, but the moral tone is as healthy as in an ordinary high school. Obscenity is a felony by laws which the citizens have themselves made and punishment is inflicted without compunction.

Space forbids more than a summary at this time. The interior workings of the Junior Republic will be the subject of another article. It is sufficient for the present to say that children regarded as incorrigible at reformatories, and hopeless everywhere, have been made into good citizens by the score. Many of them are now in college instead of jail. In short, deformed characters are being reformed wherever the character only, and not the mentality also has had to be mended. Give them capacity and will, and Mr. George will turn out a Man or a Woman.

And the boys and girls do the reformatory work themselves. That is the essential idea of the George Junior Republic.

the death of the man, but there was nothing new.

Mong's Nephew.

The nephew of the dead man, Louis Hong, lives at San Jose, but testified that for the first time in his life he had been in Fresno on the evening of October 8th, the time of the murder. At the time of the shooting he was in China alley, between Kern and Tulare streets. He saw five men come running down out of the building where his uncle lived, and now identifies two of them as the accused men, Yee Foo and Wong Duck. He learned of the death of Mong, immediately went into hiding, left town for San Francisco, and from there went to San Jose. At San Jose he consulted with a friend, Charlie Jew, the result of which was his giving evidence to the Fresno police, and the consequent signing of the complaint against Wong Duck, Yee Foo, Sin Gow and Lee Fong, besides a fifth unknown defendant.

The cross-examination was intended to break down the identification of the prisoners, and to show that Hong had been induced to believe that the prisoners were actually the men that he saw coming down out of the building where the same as the prisoners. Hong held very clearly to his original story. Charlie Jew, the friend, is a conspicuous-looking Chinese. He has a nose wears American clothes and is much taller than the average Chinaman. He sat beside the assistant district attorney during the prosecution.

Counter Testimony.  
W. Y. Jieung, a Chinese from San Francisco, who runs a tobacco and game place at Fresno, testified that he occasionally employed by him as cook, and was at his place during the night of October 8th.

Thomas C. Edgar, a driver for the Fresno Transfer company, stated that on the afternoon of the day of the murder, he saw Yee Foo get off the train from San Francisco. He noticed him particularly, as he was the only man to get off the train, and he asked him if he had any baggage.

There was considerable legal sparring over the possibility that Edgar could have identified Yee Foo, a strange Chinaman, but objections to Tupper's questions as to Edgar's powers of identifying Chinese were sustained. Tupper succeeded in keeping out the testimony as to why Edgar happened to remember this particular man.

Officer Akers Saw Yee Foo.  
Officer O. M. Akers testified that a few minutes after the murder, but before he had heard of it, he was standing in China alley north of Tulare street, and saw the Chinese there. He noticed a Chinaman running up toward him from the other side of Tulare street. He caught hold of the fellow, and noticed that he was very nervous and anxious to get away. Officer Coyle was there, and they talked with the man awhile, but finally let him go.

Akers testified that after the arrest of Yee Foo he saw him at the jail and was satisfied that the two persons were identical.

On cross-examination, he said that he might have been "fooled," but that he was confident that he was not.

Attorney Tupper became very indignant over what he considered was an attempt on the part of the witness to deceive, in not saying that he saw Yee Foo not only from behind the bars but in the corridor. Attorney Prince had gone to a phone in a neighboring room and discovered this fact from the jail. "I call this thing rotten," he said. "What do you mean, Mr. Tupper?" demanded the judge.

"If moon that this attempt to deceive is an outrageous attempt to suppress the fact that he could not identify the man at once."

"You had not asked him the question," remarked Attorney Kauke, and the court called the discussion off.

The cross-examination of Akers was not concluded and went over till today.

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## BARTON ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Concluding Pieces by Eckhardt's Ideals.

—"Arizona."

Eckhardt's Ideals will be seen at the Barton for three more performances. The beautiful Southern drama "Virginia," which was the opening bill last Sunday night, will be presented at the matinee this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The prices will be 10 and 20 cents.

This evening the Ideals will present the high class comedy, "After the Ball," which was seen several years ago to display the joint talents of John Drew and Maude Adams. Its action is bright and crisp, the plot is cleverly worked out and the climaxes are lively and well sustained to the end. The snappy dialogue and intensely ludicrous situations keep the audience in constant laughter. The play is unusually well cast. Miss M. Adelaide Power appears as the fun-loving wife, who by a little harmless deception creates an insane jealousy in the mind of her husband, Dr. Blondet. O. J. Eckhardt, as the doctor, will be seen at his best, the quick and centric manner of the doctor being especially suitable to his style of work. Miss Georgia Nichols, who made the hit Sunday as the black Dinah, will be seen in a very funny character old worked out and the climaxes are lively and well cast. The other parts are all strong and well cast. New specialties will be introduced tonight. Tomorrow evening will be the farewell performance when "The Inside Track" will be presented.

Much of the interest attached to the coming engagement of Augustus Thomas' play, "Arizona," is due to the fact that since its former tour it has been made a larger and more expensive production in every respect. Manager M. B. Raymond produced it at the Academy of Music, New York, where it played an engagement of 150 nights. Due to the large stage at that theater, Mr. Raymond put "Arizona" on in a massive way and the production intact as given during this last New York run will be brought here to the Barton next Monday night. The play, the most brilliant in America said he had written the best American play. On the morning of September 11th, three of the best newspaper critics in New York declared "Arizona" a better play than "Alabanza." The logical inference is evident. "Arizona," as the name would indicate, is a stage play of the lives and loves of men and women living in the picturesque section of our national domain which is now knocking at the door of congress with the demand for the dignities of statehood. The characters are typical of the sturdy civilization of a new country. Canby, a splendid old ranchman, who dominates the Aravaipa valley; his wife, a woman of strong temper and will; their two beautiful daughters, the wife of the plains, venerated with San Francisco culture; the officers and soldiers of a frontier cavalry post—these are the principal types that move and live in a play said to be one of the best contributions to the American stage since Bronson Howard and Dion Boucicault laid the corner stone of that institutions' foundation.

The scenes of the play are on a ranch close to the Mexican border and Fort Grant, one of the United States military posts, established primarily to keep the Indians in a passive condition. The dramatic motive is simple, and the complications which lead to the announcement rational. The young wife of a colonel, many years her senior, being wearied to the point of despair by her lonely life, has a passing spasm of romance and is on the verge of elopement with almost too transparent a villain, when the young lover of her sister foils the plan, but at such a critical moment that he must himself bear the burden of suspicion or prevent the wife's frailty, to her husband who has been to him as a father. With genuine manliness he chooses to shield the woman and await the future for his justification. By thus sealing his lips, he innocently develops a series of crises that are highly tragic, and eventually a catastrophe that brings the movements of every character to a head. It is all over, and the sun breaks through the heavy clouds, one feels that in every step of the matter his judgment was sound and his conduct gallant and heroic. Seats are now on sale.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

(Recorded October 27, 1905.)  
John W. S. Hill to Jeff Halford, lot 9, Pleasant valley addition, Coalinga; \$100.  
L. A. Nares et ux to W. E. Swank, 156 Perrin Colony; \$10.  
Jean Cuvala to Paul Darote, n/2, s/4, n/4 sec 27, t 15 s 22 e; \$10.  
Curtis F. Larabee et ux to Continental Building and Loan association, lots 3 and 4, block 59, East Fresno; \$10.  
Germans Savings and Loan society to R. W. Schuttler, lot 28, Winterton tract, \$10.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mathew W. Fitzgerald, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mathew W. Fitzgerald, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the law offices of D. T. Winne, 216-218 Forsyth building, Fresno, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated the 26th day of October, 1905.

NEEDHAM K. KEEFE, ALD.

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DOINGS IN  
UPPER COURTS

Canners' Association Denies Lynch's Allegations.

Carlston Claims Property on Tax Sale Deed—Margaret Keniston Appeals to Supreme Court.

An answer has been filed by the defendants in the suit of the Central California Raisin Packing Co. against the California Fruit Canners' association. George M. Seropian and John M. Seropian, in which a denial of the rights claimed by the plaintiff is made.

The suit is the civil action brought by Manager Lynch of the raisin company to recover sixty-seven cases of raisin cartons, worth \$3000. The argument on the criminal action, for which Lynch had C. H. West arrested on a charge of grand larceny for taking the raisin cartons from storage and applying them to his own use, is pending in the police court.

The attorneys for the defendants are Thomas, Gerstle & Frick of San Francisco and Short & Cook of this city.

Validity of Tax Sale.  
The suit to quiet title to the west half of lot 19, Riverside colony, was given a hearing by Judge Church yesterday. Smith & Ostrander appearing for the plaintiff and L. L. Cory for the defendant.

The validity of an old tax sale is the point at issue. The property was sold in 1895 to Lewis H. Smith, who afterward sold it to Carlston. The trial was short. County Recorder McCardle was put on the stand and the documents were introduced in evidence. Lewis H. Smith testified concerning the transfer to Carlston. Attorney Cory called Tax Collector Hancock to show that the proceedings in the sale had been irregular, but Judge Church said he preferred submission on briefs, which was ordered.

Go to High Court.

Margaret Keniston is going to take her cause to the Supreme court. She was defeated in the suit for divorce brought in this county by her husband, Royal E. Keniston, and a new trial was denied her attorney, A. M. Drew, on October 16th. The cause of the strenuous fight made in the case is a pension. Keniston is a Civil war veteran. The wife lives in the East. No attention was paid to her by Keniston until she got an order giving her half the pension. Then Keniston claimed desertion. On the first trial he was defeated, but on the second the divorce decree was given him. Snow & Freeman are his attorneys.

Letters.

Special letters of administration were issued yesterday to Public Administrator Chittenden on the estate of Giacomo Cevasco. Cevasco died last Tuesday and has an estate worth \$1800. In the estate are lots 11 to 16, block 11, Paige tract addition, Fresno, with \$1000 and \$800 personal property. M. F. McCormick represents Chittenden.

Chittenden has also filed for permanent letters. In contest to this petition one was filed yesterday by Chittenden & Co. John for G. B. Garbarino, a nominee of Antonio Cevasco, a nephew of the deceased. The nephew lives in San Francisco and claims to be one of four heirs to the estate.

W. M. Giffin, Charles H. Norris and Howard A. Harris have appraised the estate of George W. Wallace at \$2245. Wallace owned a half interest in the northwest quarter, section 13, township 15 south, range 21 east, worth \$2060.

A declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States has been made by John Reginald Riddell. Riddell is well known here. He is of English parentage though born in Belgium.

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## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

No. 11577.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.  
Samuel Dusenberry, Plaintiff, vs. H. A. Adams, M. J. Adams, John Doe and Richard Roe, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure, and an order of sale issued out of the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno, on the 17th day of October, 1905, in the above entitled action in said Superior court, wherein the plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against the defendants, H. A. Adams and M. J. Adams, in this action, I am commanded to sell all that certain real property situated in the county of Fresno, state of California, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18) in Block Thirt (31) in Woodward's Addition to the City of Fresno, according to the official map of said Addition made on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Fresno county.

Also lots Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Twenty-one (21) and Twenty-two (22) in Block Twenty-five (25) of the Town of Caruthers, according to the official map of said town on file and of record in the Recorder's office of said Fresno county.

And public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 18th day of November, 1905, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. of that day, at the front door of the Fresno County Courthouse, in the City of Fresno, in said county, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

E. M. HARRIS.

A Commissioner Appointed by said Superior Court.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

New San Francisco Crude Oil Company.

Location of principal place of business, in San Francisco, California.

Location of works, Fresno county, California.

Notice—There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessments (No. 7) levied on the 11th day of September, 1905, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name.	No.	Shares.	Amount.
Mrs. M. A. Crossman	113	9 1/2	\$5.50
Mrs. Katie Pearson	114	10	1.00
Wm. T. Crossman	115	10	1.00
Alfred Pearson	116	9 1/2	.35
E. T. Kruse	118	9 1/2	.35
D. Driscoll	123	4 1/2	.45
Edward Brennan	125	9 1/2	.95
Louis J. Seibien	128	23 1/2	2.38
A. K. Crossman	127	9 1/2	.50
J. W. Hamilton	129	38	3.80
L. Josephine Hanson	130	95	9.50
D. B. Crane	143	11.97	1.20
L. L. Cory	173	180	19.00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 11th day of September, 1905, as many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of







# Seasonable Fashions From the Paris Marts

PARIS, Oct. 7.—The theaters on the boulevards have one by one opened their doors and gay Paris is herself again. The holidays are practically over, but smart Parisians are constantly on the wing, fitting here and there from one attractive place to another. Indeed people nowadays spend so much time packing and unpacking that there is little left for anything else. It is very much on the same principle as meals, which seem to break up the day into a few intervals in which we are not eating. The greatest invention in the world will be that which concentrates the gastronomic functions into one meal a day. When our digestions can stand that, life will be much easier altogether, and when that meal is further minimized to a soluble lozenge we may look forward to the millennium.

I would not for a moment suggest that a soluble lozenge be presented to a hungry man on his return home from a hard day's work. As things are now arranged the soup cannot be too hot, theillet too tender, the soufflé too light or the savory too delicious for the hard worked head of the house when he sits down to dinner. But when the discovery is perfected such a mere trifle as the table won't be needed any longer. Just imagine the moral tension that would be spared women. The simple life would not be in it at all. The dear little housewife would have no dinner to order, no servants to scold, no husband to appease. Man would have no excuse for grumbling and nothing to look forward to, while cooks would no longer be at a premium. In short, the world's economy would undergo a change.

And, speaking of economy, did you ever know clothes of all kinds to be so expensive as they are this season? Over here in Paris it makes one feel on the verge of bankruptcy even to walk through the shops and, oh, so envious of the lovely things displayed for our undoing. It's so easy to order this or that—

But later when it's done And the days of reckoning come, Why, who will pay the piper in the end, oh?

Appropos of shops, there is serious talk of pulling down the Palais Royal, at least the rows of arcades and shops built by Louis Philippe, where the first jewelers and fashionable restaurants were to be found. Fashion has gone west and will not retrace its footsteps now that the palace of the Tuilleries has vanished. Its wings are left, but they have become museums, palaces for the dead relics of the past instead of abodes for the living.

I always liked the gloves one bought at the Palais Royal, and this year one will need such an assortment of different kinds of gloves to take one through. The prettiest style of glove is the mousquetaire, both in suede and lace kid. They will be worn all winter, and the short gloves, seen on all sorts of costumes, are responsible for their revival. These gloves are not stretched on the arm to meet the man's, but must be definitely wrinkled on the arm, and to do this the sixteen button length is required. The eight

button is worn with three-quarter or even long sleeves, tucking the glove well up under the edge of the sleeve. Black gloves to accompany black gowns have returned to favor, and it's certainly a comfort to wear a gant that does not require cleaning constantly. Besides, these black gloves are very becoming to the hand.

The new street hand coverings are

paying oblique welts pointing down toward the wrist. There is a distinction very rigidly drawn in glovehood this year as to the wearing of different kinds with certain fabrics. For instance, with chiffon and dull finished materials

of a corresponding shade the glove looks almost white, but infinitely smarter than an all white gant, which stands out too prominently from the background of even the faintest colored gown.

I dropped in to the maison Laferriere the other afternoon and found perfectly stunning models on view for those who follow sartorial fancies that are in exceptional taste, but a little ahead of the styles generally accepted. A gown for morning wear essentially Parisian in taste was of golden brown and green

sleeves, full in the upper portion, was composed of a rich green velvet. Another model for afternoon wear that captivated my fancy was of tiny red and black plaid, resembling the old Rob Roy designs used some years ago for children's dresses. The upper part of the princess robe was blouse, and from the height of a high corset above the waist line the material was stitched and tucked closely to the figure and, passing the waist, descended a little below the hips. The plaid fell in graceful fullness bordered at the bottom with a band of black velvet. An emplacement of white cloth embroidered in black and red enveloped the shoulders, while from beneath the corsage of the checked material peeped a narrow vest of black velvet. The long tight fitting sleeves of black velvet were slashed up the back with a strap of the checked stuff. Several models in this salon displayed the vogue of odd sleeves, which if arranged harmoniously have a certain chic.

London smoke—a cloudy clear shade, if one may use the contrary combination—made a smart walking suit, the long redingote coat, with its full skirts, fitting smooth and perfectly across the

many gored umbrella model just escaping the ground all round. A delightful detail in the broadcloth princess frock has an old fashioned trimming on the skirt, consisting of three rows of satin a shade lighter than the cloth, arranged in knife plaitings caught tightly about an inch from the bottom. These plaitings were headed with stitched bands of velvet. The bodice was adorned with the same plaitings, arranged in a source about an empiement of lace trimmed with tiny velvet bows. At the bust this vest finished with crossed ends of velvet, fastened with rosettes of silk.

Hand embroideries are used galore on semitailored gowns, done on satin, silk and gold gauze, which is the newest material for this beautiful work. Exquisite blendings of narrow silk braid trim many of the dresses, the bolero jackets and frock bodices. One charming afternoon gown of deep wine red chiffon velvet has its skirt disposed in tiny tucks over the hips. The foot trimming is an odd combination of narrow colored braids—deep red, pale yellow, light blue and black—inserted at wide intervals around the bust in cone shaped forms. The bodice boasts, as do most of the smart waists, a yoke of some thin white material. In this instance a flat net was used, with a box plait of braid trimmed black satin running down the front. A tiny turnover collar of satin run with lines of the braid was a becoming neck finish. The short sleeves had turned back cuffs of braid trimmed satin.

All the calling gowns of the season have slight "mussy" in the back that are very graceful and attractive. Cloth evening wraps are newer and more up to date than silk ones, and the empire style is first favorite. Paquin is showing a fascinating model in the faintest shade of gray broadcloth. The skirt is full and plaited from the short bodice, which has invariable revers and a belt of white satin elaborately embroidered in black and white silks, touched here and there with gold braid. The effect is simple and elegant, and the wrap is not too important for a number of day occasions.

Before closing this letter I must tell you about a stunning hat Caroline Reboux fitted to my head yesterday. You know that a lot of the smartest chapeaux are made of silk and satin braid, but this confection was a triumph of what may be accomplished by covering a French sailor perfectly plain with baby blue moire silk. Around the crown the artist had ordered arranged a thick ruche of almost yellow lace, in the center of which were placed in a stiff row tiny pink roses as close together as possible. At one side was the Frenchest little stiff bow of olive green, inch wide velvet ribbon. The hat in the back was raised on a high bandeau, over which fell a shower of pale blue ostrich plumes. It was the prettiest light hat I have seen this year.

CATHERINE TALBOT.

**A Harvest of Feathers.**  
Appropos of the vexed question of wearing feathers plucked from living birds in hats, it is comforting to know that the wearers of long ostrich feathers need have no qualms on the subject. The larger and more valuable feathers which are in the wings and tail of the bird are carefully cut off with scissors, and the ends are left in the skin till they drop out.

**Beaver Pelts in Vogue.**  
Short haired beavers will be worn, but of so silky a surface they will be almost look like velvet. Millinery, gossamer, shows velvet in almost every case.

## Gown of Gray Green Cashmere

THE pretty house gown pictured is of gray green cashmere. The skirt is trimmed at the bottom with four rather deep tucks and is gathered slightly about the waist. The bodice is shirred about an embroidered



yoke piped with silk and opening in front with two tiny silk faced revers held together with a pompadour bow. These bows fasten the bodice in diagonal fashion just above the waist line and also trim the three-quarter sleeves.

### Evils of Small Shoes.

There is no excuse for aching feet and ill fitting shoes in these enlightened days. Shoes were never more smoothly finished, better made or sold more reasonably than now, and if feet suffer then the fault lies with the individual.

A rightly chosen shoe means to women comfort, happiness and the absence of those telltale lines about the forehead, which bespeak corns or tight fitting shoes.

Shoes too small or too large will both do mischief. So will a high heel, which causes the bones of the instep to soften and give way, bringing much pain.

### Fashions and Fancies.

In mending gloves it is better to use cotton the color of the glove rather than silk. The glass of the latter draws attention to the stitches, which would hardly be visible in cotton.

To curl feathers the ribs are scraped with a bit of glass, cut circularly, in order to render them pliant, and then, by drawing the edge of a blunt knife over the filaments, they assume the curly form so much admired.



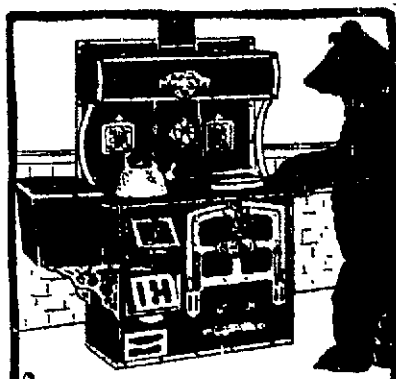
A GROUP OF WINTER COATS.

stunning. They are great heavy things with a square mannish cut, but extremely fetching nevertheless and button with a single or two clasps. In the dark shades there are a variety of new colors, including gray, rich tans and oaks and black attached with white. In the lighter tones are seen pale fawns, white and charming shades of pearl. The backs are decorated with three welts, and each line has two accom-

panied is donned while with shimmering silks and crepes de chine gloves are the proper caper. This may seem an exaggerated sartorial point, but just try the materials in conjunction and you'll soon understand that the distinction is a nice one. There are even gloves that delicately suggest a color on, one should rather say, a tint. Green, pink, blue and violet are all in evidence, and when worn with a cos-

broadcloth in checked effect. This checked broadcloth that Laferriere is using is one of the novelties of the season and is exquisite in tone and a decided departure for conservative broadcloth to take into itself. This particular plaid was not at all startling, the colors blending and fading into each other, producing a most happy effect. The princess skirt and corsage appeared cut in one and fastened behind. A yoke and

shoulders and at the waist. A small rolled collar of velvet a shade darker and a fold of the same velvet at the wrist took a trifle from the severity of the style. Five large wrought silver buttons fastened the coat in an extremely satisfactory fashion. The trimmings hat worn with this costume was of London smoke felt, banded with velvet and trimmed at the back with shaded gray plumes. The skirt was a



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Prince Charles of Denmark Will Accept It When People Offer It.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Oct. 27.—King Oscar has definitely and formally declined the offer of the Norwegian throne to a prince of the house of Bernadotte, and in a letter to the president of the storting finally severed his connection with Norway. The letter, which is dated October 24th, is as follows:

"After having in the name of Sweden, recognized Norway as a state completely separated from Sweden, I inform you of my decision to relinquish the crown of Norway, which, notwithstanding all my good intentions, has given me in the course of years so many bitter cares. Moreover, I could no longer wear it to the benefit of the country now that the illegal decision of the storting has rendered illusory even the suspensive veto of the king.

"But I desire only the welfare of the country and the nation towards which I have entertained a sincere affection ever since my youth and to the happiness of which it has contributed so long as the means to that end could be reconciled with the duties entailed by my position as king of both countries of the Scandinavian peninsula.

"In view of the turn the mutual relations between the two countries have taken I cannot think it would be conducive to the happiness of either Sweden or Norway that a prince of my house should accept an election to be king of Norway. Assuredly there would not fail to arise in both countries a feeling of distrust which would operate as much against him as against me. This distrust might only too easily become an obstacle to the improvement of the mutual sentiments of the two nations, unfavorably separated heretofore where by I hope to see pacific relations assured between them in a not too distant future.

"I cannot therefore accept the storting's offer. I thank with all my heart those who during my reign of thirty-three years have faithfully served me and Norway and who may even now entertain affection for their former king. In now bidding them farewell I cherish sincere good wishes for them."

after the notification of his election is conveyed to him.

### COKE MAKING PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE WILL CAUSE HARDSHIP.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 27.—Losses estimated at \$200,000 were caused by a fire which broke out last night in the plant of the Utah Fuel Company, a Gould corporation, at Sunnyside, Utah, on the Rio Grande Western railroad. The company's great coal crushers, which supply coal for its coke ovens, were destroyed, and the company will be unable to produce coke until the damage can be repaired. As all the big smelters in Salt Lake valley receive their coke supply from Sunnyside, the fire may seriously affect the smelting industry. About 600 men at Sunnyside are temporarily thrown out of work. Sixty per cent of the Utah Fuel company's loss is covered by insurance.

### NOVEL POINT IS RAISED REGARDING CHINESE EXCLUSION.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 27.—A new phase of the Chinese exclusion law is to be tested in the court. Two Chinese, born in Mexico, who came here from Escondido, have been refused permission to land from the steamer and were deported this afternoon. They are G. T. Chong and G. Chong, brothers. They demanded to be allowed to land, basing their claim on the fact that they are natives and citizens of Mexico, but the inspector refused to yield, claiming that the law bars the entrance of a Chinaman without the proper credentials, no matter where may be his place of birth or to what country he swears allegiance. The Chong brothers will appeal from the immigration inspector to the secretary of commerce and labor.

### PRESIDENT CASTRO DELAYS ANSWER TO MINISTER RUSSELL.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—Official advice received here from Venezuela say that American Minister Russell and President Castro have conferred with a view to finding a settlement of the diplomatic difficulty between France and Venezuela, but the president has not yet announced what he intends to do. Therefore the authorities here do not confirm the reports that an agreement is imminent upon the basis of President Castro and Tugny, the French charge, both withdrawing their notes as a preliminary to adjusting the controversy regarding the French cable company. However, such a basis favors in official quarters and the negotiations tend toward an adjustment along such lines, President Castro's silence alone deferring a determination.

### RICH MINING MAN JAILED IN CHICAGO ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Telegrams from the Chicago police led to the arraignment of Henry T. Bangs, a mining expert, here today on a charge of embezzling \$2500. The detectives who made the arrest said that they understood Bangs to be worth half a million dollars and that there was something behind the embezzlement charge. Bangs is 40 years old. The name of the complainant was not disclosed. Bangs is said to be the son of a California millionaire.

### LOCAL MARKETS.

**FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.**  
Limes—15c per dozen.  
Apples—5c per lb.  
Pomegranates—4c lb.  
Grapes—4c lb.  
Lemons—20c per doz.  
Bananas—30c per doz.  
Persimmons—5c per lb.  
Potatoes—1½c per lb.  
Sweet Potatoes—2c lb.  
String Beans—2 lbs 15c.  
Green Beans—10c per pound.  
Green Peppers—10c per lb.  
Tomatoes—6c per lb.  
Radishes—2 bunches 5c.  
Red cabbage—10c head.  
Artichokes—2 for 15c.  
Cabbage—2c lb.  
Cauliflower—10c a head.  
Cauliflower—10 and 15c each.  
Okra—10c per lb.  
Egg Plant—2 for 5c.  
Spinach—10c bunch.  
Horse Radish—20c per lb.  
Onions—3c per lb.  
Parsnips—2½c per bunch.  
Beets—2½c per bunch.  
Lettuce—2 1½c per head.  
Carrots—2 1½c per bunch.  
Cucumbers—7½c per doz.  
Lima Beans—7½c per lb.  
Kans—20c per lb.  
Dates—15c per pound.  
Chickens—Broilers, \$3.50@4 per doz.  
Chickens—Fryers, \$4.50@5.50 per doz.  
Ducks (tame)—35c per dozen.  
Wheat—\$1.80 and \$1.75.  
Barley—\$2.00@2.24 ton.  
Corn—\$2.  
Rye—\$1.85@2.15.  
Egyptian Corn—\$1.00 per 100.  
MILLS' FEED.  
Fresno Flour—\$1.25@1.40.  
Kaweah Flour—\$1.40.  
Stockton Flour—\$1.40.  
Crown Flour—\$1.45.  
Middlings—\$1.45.  
Bran—50c per sack; 25c per ton.  
Barley—50c sack; 25c per ton.  
Wheat—\$2.40 per sack; 34@36c.  
CEREALS.  
Corn meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Graham meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Whole wheat flour—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Cracked wheat—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Oat meal—40c per 10-lb. sack.  
Rye meal—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Rye flour—35c per 10-lb. sack.  
Cracked barley—larger or smaller.  
BUTTER AND EGGS.  
Creamery—75c per roll.  
Dairy—55c per roll.  
Eggs—40c per doz; 2 for 75c.  
FRESH MEATS.  
Beef Steak—10@12; roast 10@15.  
Mutton—8@10c per lb.  
Lamb—12½@15c per pound.  
Pork—12½@15c.  
Veal—10@12.  
Lard—15c per pound.  
DRESSED STOCK.  
Steer—5c per pound.  
Cow—4½c.  
Veal—7@9c per pound.  
Mutton—7c per pound.  
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—James J. McManus surrendered to the police here today and confessed to the murder of "Scotty" Wilson, who, he said, he had in 1888 thrown from the Brooklyn bridge during a drunken quarrel.

### LOS ANGELES MAN PAID THE PENALTY FOR MURDER CRIME.

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### FINED FOR SELLING IMPURE FOOD TO MEN OF THE NAVY.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—The case of Earl J. Dennis, grocer, and Frederick Hall, local manager for Swift & Company, charged with furnishing impure food to the League Island navy yard, came up today before Judge McMichael, in the criminal court. They pleaded guilty and were fined \$250 and costs and sentenced to sixty days in the county prison. Hall, charged with selling meat in which boracic acid was used, was fined \$100, the cost of prosecution and expense of the analysis.

### An English Bye Election.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The bye-election at Hampstead for a member of parliament to succeed Thomas McIlvaine, who has been appointed a judge, resulted in the election of the Unionist candidate, J. S. Fletcher, by 422 votes.

BUCKHANNON, Va., Oct. 26.—John W. Bickel, president of the Wesleyan university here, was tonight burned in effigy on the campus by the students as the result of ill feeling following the president's decision practically abolishing football.

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—The Prussian authorities announce the suspension of the shipment of freight into Russia by way of Altwake because the Russian roads are unable to forward it to its destination.

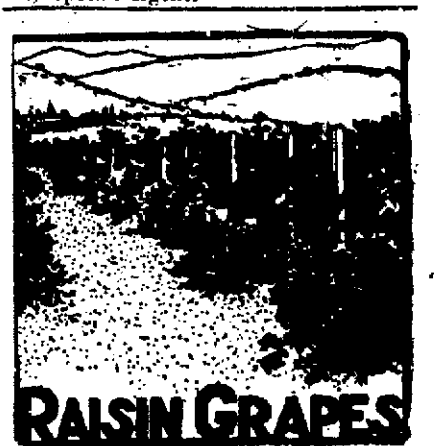
### A DAYLIGHT TRIP.

Through San Joaquin Valley in Paris Cars.  
Travelers on the Southern Pacific may now see the great San Joaquin valley by daylight while riding through it in Paris cars. These new and comfortable and fully furnished cars are carried on train No. 84, the Bakersfield Passenger, which leaves San Francisco daily at 8.30 a. m. arriving at Bakersfield 6.05 p. m., and on train 85, leaving Bakersfield 7.30 a. m. and arriving at San Francisco 4.50 p. m. These cars have large windows and easy cushions, and the day trip enables the traveler to see all the great valley.

No Chills, No Fever.  
After taking three doses of S. B. Fever and Ague cure. Never fails to cure the worst cases. Only at Smith Bros' Drug Store.

The Equitable Securities Co. of Los Angeles, will loan you money on city property. See Pearson's Exchange, the local agents; next to P. O.

Cures Winter Cough.  
J. E. Gover, 101 N. Main street, Ottawa, Kans., writes: "Every fall it has been my wife's trouble to catch a severe cold, and therefore to cough all winter long. Last fall I got her a bottle of Horshorn Syrup. She used it and has been able to sleep soundly all night long. Whenever the cough troubles her, two or three doses stops the cough, and she is able to be up and well." 25c, 50c and \$1. Geo. H. Monroe, Special Agent.



## RAISIN GRAPES BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

160 acres east of Fresno; 100 acres muscats, 17 acres malagas, 8 acres wine grapes, ½ acre oranges. Balance grain land. 25,000 trays, sweat boxes, implements, horses, wagon, etc., to the value of \$3500. Crops net \$7000 to \$10,000 per year. Good land. School house on place. Price \$27,000. Easy terms.

For other bargains in city and country property see our ad on "classified" page or call on

## Pearson's Exchange

## Grape Vine Stakes

PICKETS  
POSTS  
SHAKES, ETC.  
In Straight or Mixed Carloads.  
Write Us for Quotations.

## Russell & Ley

FELTON, Santa Cruz Co., Cal.  
For further particulars call at Goodman's Store, Mariposa and 17th streets.

## PEOPLES' WOOD YARD

Pine Blocks for sale.....\$3 per load  
Corner Mono and F Streets.  
Phone Main 884.



We earnestly advise voting for the bond issue. The new improvements can not longer be delayed.

## Childrens' Day--Free Candy--and Big Bargains

Every child that comes to the store accompanied by an adult between the hours of 10 and 12 in the morning and 2.30 and 4.30 in the afternoon, will be given a choice package of candy.

Something new and different from that usually given away.

**Redlick's**  
INCORPORATED

Be Sure and Secure Your Trading Stamps.



Just to show how carefully we have provided for the wants of the little ones, a great showing will be made today of children's needfuls, and at prices that will make parents—and those parents particularly who have to count the pennies—smile with pleasure.

We always carefully select the articles needed for the child. We carry a complete stock and we go even further—we see that every child who enters this store alone is treated with the greatest consideration; promptly served and made as safe as any grown person.

Any mother may safely send the little one alone to this store to do her trading; the child will do as well as she.

Children's flannelette dresses for children from 1 to 4 years of age; Mother Hubbard style; embroidered yokes; light colors; special for 25c.

Children's dresses in French plaids; wool mixtures; very tastefully designed; lined throughout; deep hem to the skirt; special to-day 1.50.

### PICADILLY COATS, \$6.00

For misses; the newest coats; English Picadilly; whether for dress, for school or for general wear. These superior well tailored garments will appeal to the judgment of the mother and the taste of the daughter; priced from \$6.00 upward.

### GIRLS' DRESSES.

Some very pretty ones in chevron mixtures brightened with colored threads; trimmed with soutache braid in contrasting colors; silk buttons; collar, cuffs and front trimmed to match; special \$3.45.

### CHILDREN'S JACKETS, \$3.75

Short jackets of English kersey; made with turnover collar; velvet bands and medallion trimmings; a very graceful and durable garment.

### Childrens' Millinery Specially Priced

\$1.69—Child's white felt hat; very large shape; wide brims and low crown; decorated with silk ribbons; values up to \$2.

\$1.25—Children's navy blue or brown scratch felt sailors; trimmed with gilt buttons and silk ribbons; large shapes; very becoming and durable.

50c—Children's tan o'shanter hats; made of all-wool serge; brown or navy blue.

\$2.75—Children's trimmed hats; fine felt; trimmed with ribbons, feathers, and ornaments; hats that usually sell at \$3.50.

75c—Misses' patent leather hat; the most popular kind for school use; dust proof; made of all patent leather; regular \$1 values.

### Childs' Fanby Shoes

We are placing on sale a number of pairs of exceedingly handsome footwear; velvet and sewed tops; fine patent leather or kid vamp; hand turned soles; sizes to 11; sale price, pair \$2.00.

### MISSIE'S SHOES, \$1.25

For school or dress use; soft dogona kid with patent leather tips or in kangaroo calf; soft and strong; sizes 11 to 2.

### BOYS' SHOES, \$1.50

Stout calf skin; soft and sturdy; double thick soles; all solid leather; all sizes to 5 1/2.

### Infants Toilet Needfuls

50c Soft Hair Brushes ..... 20c

25c Tooth Brushes ..... 15c

4c Small Safety Pins ..... 2c

5c Medium Safety Pins ..... 2c

Infants' 15c Hose Supporters 8c

Children's 20c Hose Supporters 12c

Misses' 10c Hose Supporters 15c

Infants' 10c Honeycomb Bibs 4c

Infants' 35c Quilted Bibs ..... 23c

50c BEAD NECKLACE, 25c

Very pretty and ornamental; large pearl shell beads that look as good as the real pearl; they have patent fastenings that hold them securely in place.

### For the Baby

Everything the infant needs for wear is here in abundance and underpriced. We can save mother's anxiety, worry and money; for instance:

Infants' Long Dresses ..... \$3.50 to 25c

Infants' Short Dresses ..... \$3.50 to 22c

Infants' Waist Skirts ..... \$1.00 to 15c

Infants' Pinning Blankets ..... \$2.00 to 35c

Infants' Flannel Shirts ..... \$1.50 to 35c

Infants' Cashmere Sacques ..... \$2.00 to 50c

## The Big Silk Sale Continues All Day

Hundreds of women shared in the big silk values yesterday. From the hour of the sale until closing time we were passing out these big silk bargains to discriminating women who knew real values.

The quantity we purchased was so large that there is plenty left today; just as good as yesterday.

90c Peau de Soie Silks 67c 60c Taffeta Silks for yd 33c 20 inch Messaline Silks 57c \$1.00 Bengaline Silks, 67c

\$1.10 Black Taffeta Silks 72c \$1.25 Peau de Soie Silks 93c \$1.50 Peau de Soie Silks \$1.15 \$1.65 Moire Silks \$1.15

\$1.35 Black Taffeta Silks 97c \$1.60 Black Taffeta \$1.15 \$1.90 Black Taffeta \$1.39

\$2.50 Black Taffeta Silk \$1.50 \$1.50 Colored Silks, yd. \$1.15.

### Household Specials

10c Shelf Paper ..... 5c

25c Agate Muffin Pans ..... 18c

25c Family Brooms ..... 18c

75c Galv. Tubs ..... 55c

55c Churns for ..... 68c

15c White Enamel Plates ..... 9c

50c Nickel Plated Coffee Pots 39c

40c Tin Dish Pans ..... 29c

6 Cups and Saucers for ..... 49c

6 Dinner Plates for ..... 49c

15c Lamp Chimneys ..... 9c

5c Mouse Traps ..... 3c

### Big Curtain Bargains

850 pairs lace curtains; in Nottingham and Scotch nets; double threads; some floral patterns; others net with small figures; others plain centers; all pearl woven edges, 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 yards long and 32 to 40 inches wide.

50c quality for 35c a pair.

75c quality for 59c a pair.

\$1.00 quality for 67c a pair.

\$1.25 quality for 89c a pair.

\$1.50 quality for \$1.10 a pair.

\$1.75 quality for \$1.35 a pair.

\$2.00 quality for \$1.59 a pair.

\$2.50 quality for \$1.79 a pair.

\$3.00 quality for \$2.29 a pair.

\$3.50 quality for \$2.69 a pair.

\$5.00 quality for \$3.89 a pair.

KIMONO FLANNEL, 15c

36 inches wide; fleeced back flannel; stripes, dots or Persian effects; wide range of colors to choose from.

GERMAN EIDERDOWN, 15c

The regular 25c grade; 28 inches wide; very soft finish; used for sacks and house robes; same patterns as in the 50c eiderdowns.

TENNIS FLANNEL, 7c

Good as any of the 10c grades heavy body; light or medium colors; handsome patterns.

### Beautiful Shirt Waists Underpriced

\$1.75—Very pretty wool waists; in mixtures of dark wools; shot with white threads; full fronts; leg o' mutton sleeves; plain cuffs; self collars.

\$3.50—Albatross waists; as dainty and fine as crepe; every shade represented; washable waist of rare beauty; tucked front and back; tucked sleeves; tucked cuffs.

\$1.98—Very handsome Bengaline waists; silk finish; man tailored; made with side plaited fronts; panel backs; tucked cuffs; colors new blue, black, red, white or brown.

\$4.50—A magnificent silk waist; hand embroidered; in solid French work; medallion or lace trimmings; others in curved lines of Valenciennes insertion; half sleeves.

RED TABLE DAMASK, 25c

58 inch wide; fast red; oil boiled colors; won't fade; assorted patterns.

40c MADRAS, 25c

40 inch striped madras; silk mixed for bed room curtains; very soft finish; exceedingly popular.

\$1.25 BED SPREADS, 97c

10-4 double bed size; high grade cotton; Marseilles patterns; all hemmed and ready to use.

BLEACHED MUSLIN, 8c

As fine as Lonsdale or Fruit of the Loom for less money; soft finished; full yard wide.

CHEVIOT SHIRTING, 10c

The best ever sold for the price; 28 inches wide; new patterns.

HEAVY HUCK TOWELS, 9c

A 12 1/2 inch; extra thick and absorbent; 19x37 inches; fast color or red border; hemmed, ready for use; full, bleached.

FINE SILKOLINE, 10c

36 inches wide; the best made; plain or figured patterns; looks exactly like silk.

SOAPS CHEAPER

Snowberry Soap, cake ..... 4c

Kirk's Palm Soap, cake ..... 4c

Kirk's Bay Rum, cake ..... 4c

Kirk's Elder Flower, cake ..... 4c

25c HOSE SUPPORTERS, 19c

The famous "Hook On" rubber; warranted to give excellent service.

## Special to night

50c CHATELAIN BAGS, 10c

Steel frames; patent clasp; solid leather bag; leather covered belt hooks.

WOMEN'S BELTS, 10c

Values 25c and up to 50c; silk stitched or folded belts; oxidized buckles.

25c PILLOW TOPS, 19c

Pillow tops in colored floral designs; very handsome and useful.

75c KNIT SHAWLS, 49c

White grounds with pink or blue borders.

\$1.25 WOOL VESTS, 89c

Pure soft wool; finely ribbed; high necks and wing sleeves.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Dlx. 23c

Regular 5c grade; women's cambric linen handkerchiefs; hem-stitched; limit of one dozen.

85c BED SPREADS, 49c

10-4 white bedspreads; nice, heavy, close quality; 54 patterns; hemmed ready for use.

### Grocery Specials

Fresh Bread, 4 loaves ..... 10c

Home-made Cookies, 2 doz ..... 15c

Fancy Creamery Butter, 2 lbs ..... 58c

Puritan Mince Meat, 2 lbs ..... 58c

Cranberries, qt. .... 10c

Vinton Brand Corn, 3 for ..... 20c

Broken M. and J. Coffee, 2 lbs ..... 25c

Fancy Lemons, doz. .... 13c

Fancy Comb Honey, each ..... 10c

Corn Starch, pkg. .... 5c

Pork Loins, Sugar Cured, lb. .... 13c

Mixed Candy, lb. .... 10c

25c SHEETING, 19c

76 inch bleached or unbleached sheeting; made from fine soft cotton; free from dressings.

65c COTTON BATS, 42c

3 lb. cotton bats; in one sheet; large enough for comfort; regular 65c; special ..... 42c each.

EXTENSION RODS, 10c

Brass extension rods; with extension of 54 inches; white fancy ends with fixtures; 20c grade.

10c PERCALES, 6c

Double fold percales; standard quality; all new patterns; medium and dark colors.

50c TAPESTRY, 29c

50 inch tapestry; full heavy quality; in Bag Dad and Roman stripes; silk finish.

60c BLANKETS, 43c

Cotton sheet blankets; nice, soft grade; comes in white or gray with fancy stripe border.

TABLE OIL CLOTH, 14c

46 inch table oil cloth; standard quality; fancy colors or white marbled.

## THE FRENCH LAFAYETTE

Very Different From Revolutionary Hero.

The Story of His Connection With the French Revolution—One of Failure.

H. Morse Stephens can be true to his historical conscience and still be tactful. He showed that in his lecture last night on Lafayette.

"I always feel a certain delicacy," said the speaker, "in addressing an American audience on an American hero. Republics are proverbially ungrateful, but the charge of ingratitude cannot be urged in the case of Lafayette, who has always been held in high and almost reverent esteem in this country. But there is a great deal of difference between the hero of the American Revolution, and the man who failed in the French Revolution; and this failure can be pointed out without detracting from his fame in the American Revolution."

With that prelude the audience was given the key-note of the lecture and was, moreover, allowed to retain the Grammar school history conception of Lafayette so far as his efforts for American independence. The attendance was good—in fact, all the lectures this year have been well attended.

Marie Jean Paul Roch Yves Gilbert de Motier, Marquis de Lafayette—that's the full name and title. He came of a respectable family, was respectfully educated and a man of high moral character. "But," observed the speaker in one of his amusing asides, "it is perfectly natural that a good man morally may be a failure in politics." The fact that Lafayette was a failure in politics was suggested as a possible explanation of his characteristics later manifested. It is almost impossible not to expect that such a young nobleman should be spoiled. He had been subject to no boyhood restraints by parental affection or control.

At 19, the young nobleman had what would be satisfying to most men. A competence, happily married, established position and all that. He left all, obeyed the court and escaped to offer his sword to George Washington at the head of the insurgent colonies. The attachment between Washington and the young Frenchman was described.

Upon his return to France he found himself in a position likely to turn his head. He was the hero of two worlds. The French opinion was that he had won independence for the Americans, aided by one George Washington. Adulation was everywhere showered upon him, except by the court. It was not to be expected that the king and queen should share in this hero-worship of a man of so pronounced republican principles.

It was Lafayette who in 1787 first proposed the summons of the States-General. He was elected by the nobility of Auvergne, and became leader of the minority nobles, who desired to join the deputies of the Third estate. He was a type of the liberal French nobleman, led by experience in America to desire representative institutions in France. The basis of his failure lay in not recognizing the fundamental difference between the American colonists and the French people. The English colonists were men who had for generations governed themselves. The colonists governed themselves from the moment of their arrival; they had a judiciary based on the common law. The Frenchmen had never governed themselves, nor ever elected anybody.

Lafayette was at the top of his fame when he was acclaimed commandant of the National Guard of Paris. Public opinion soon began to set against him. He alienated the "common people" by making of the National Guard a middle-class force, swarmer and handsomely uniformed. This dress parade force of 60,000 was augmented by the French Guards of 60,000, the real soldiers. The pamphleteers, the newspapermen of his time, soon took advantage of the situation to sharply criticize him and even to denounce him as no friend of liberty. Being thin-skinned and pompous he was a good mark for this sort of thing.

The drafting of a constitution for France and Lafayette's part in it was next described. Sieges, the constitution maker, proposed, "perfect document" defining the rights of man and all that. Mirabeau, the practical statesman, wanted a working document, patterned after the English institutions. Lafayette was naturally antagonistic to anything English. He sided with Sieges in a perfect system, rather than a system that would work. The two views averted a striking illustration of the mental attitude of a practical man of affairs and a political theorist.

At the height of his power when he escorted the royal family from Versailles to Paris and was their virtual jailer, Lafayette's popularity steadily declined, under the onslaughts of the democratic newspapers and of Marat in particular, until the climax was reached in the massacre of July 17, 1791. He resigned his command and fled to Austria, where he languished in prison for four years. The lecture concluded with a characterization of Lafayette as "Grandison-Cromwell"—a combination of fine gentleman and ambitious man of iron.

Found on the Desert. BULLFROG, Cal., Oct. 27.—The body of James Riff, a prospector who was lost in Death Valley ten months ago, was found this afternoon. The body was partially decomposed and nude.

Old Indian Killed. REDDING, Cal., Oct. 27.—Old Ned, a famous Indian and famous character of Shasta, was killed by a freight train this afternoon.

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## MITCHELL'S BIG FIRE

Outside Packing House Destroyed.

Loss Was About \$5000—Stemmer Just Installed—Origin Not Known.

Fresno lost one of its smaller raising packing houses last night in the burning of the house of Mitchell & Mitchell on the Santa Fe reservation. The building is a total loss, with a little over half insurance.

The building, which has been generally known as the Falk packing house, from its former proprietor, was a big frame shell, about 140 by 80 feet in dimension, and burnt with surprising rapidity. The first that was known of the fire was about 6.25 o'clock, when employees in the office of the Stewart Packing company, about seventy-five feet to the south, noticed that the building was all ablaze. There was some difficulty in telephoning in the alarm, and by the time the department had arrived, the Falk house was an immense bonfire that could be seen for miles in every direction.

The work of the department was given to saving the adjoining buildings. The Stewart house, to the south-east, had a narrow escape, but the wind saved it, carrying the flames across the car tracks. To the north, the Burnett bundry was out of danger, but to the west, the Fresno Cooperative company and the San Joaquin Ice and Dairy company required the efforts of the firemen. The department did very good work.

The loss in the building was not great. The Mitchells, who bought out the Falk company last year, had been handling green fruit all summer, and had just cleared out the building to go into outside raising buying. They had completed the installation of a stemmer, but it did not have more than 500 pounds of raisins on hand. There was a considerable quantity of shook lost, and a new engine plant was burnt.

J. E. Mitchell, one of the partners, was seen last night and stated that he counted the loss at between \$4500 and \$5000, covered by from \$2500 to \$3500 insurance carried by F. M. Chittenden. The firm had not yet determined what they would do about continuing business. The loss is particularly severe coming in the middle of the raising season. J. E. Mitchell and J. F. Mitchell are the owners.

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